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The WEEK

By A. M. BRAYTON

BLOCKED by a filibuster of insurgent republicans and democrats, the ship subsidy bill was abandoned by the administration in the United States senate. This will probably have the approval of people generally irrespective of whether they favored or opposed the measure. It is understood that the new congress would not approve a ship subsidy. The election of that congress was the latest expression of the will of the American people. Had the law been enacted by the votes of senators who were repudiated by the people in the last election it would not have represented the public opinion of today.

Upon its merits, it is probable that the measure would have been a valuable one for American business, and especially for the American farmer.

Senator La Follette opposed the bill unconditionally. Senator Lenroot indicated his unalterable opposition to it unless it should be amended to eliminate such institutions as Standard Oil from its benefits, and unless passenger ships were eliminated and the benefits confined to cargo carrying crafts.

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Later in the week Senator Lenroot also announced that unless the administration came to the farmers' aid by pushing the Lenroot-Anderson farm loan bill, there would be no ship subsidy legislation.

This bill is in a committee pigeon hole, leaving the Capper bill the only one for farm relief to pass. The Capper bill benefits largely the heavy cattle raisers, but does nothing for the smaller farmer. Senator Lenroot is insurging over the sidetracking of his bill, which means help for farmers of all classes.

On Friday Secretary of Agriculture Wallace got into the fight by writing Congressman Anderson an open letter in which he declared that farmers were failing every day for want of this legislation, and that the Capper bill was not a sufficent remedy.

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The British debt funding bill seems due for passage. It extends the time of payment from twenty-five to sixty-two years, a fixed interest ranging from 3 to 3½ per cent. Opponents insisted the interest should equal that which we are paying on our liberty bonds. Senator La Follette objected to the time extension on the ground that as long as England owes us money we shall have a financial reason for defending the British government. An interesting angle of this is a statement, appearing to be official, that Mellon, secretary of the treasury, will withdraw his objections to the soldiers' bonus provided the bonus is made payable out of funds paid this country by England applicable upon the English debt.

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The outstanding development of the week in occupied Germany was the permanent seizure of all railroads in the occupied zone, to be operated by the French and Belgian governments.

Socialists in the occupied territory are organizing to back demands that negotiations with France be reopened. A French semi-official statement was to the effect that within six weeks the purposes of the occupation would be accomplished and there would be a new deal.

Meanwhile considerable violence is occurring in various sections of the occupied territory.

In Chicago a mass meeting of 5,000 people demanded that Uncle Sam intervene in opposition to French occupation. In New York a meeting of 7,000 took the same stand. Telegrams were received from Senator Borah and France condemning the French invasion. It is said that a majority of those at the meetings were of foreign derivation.

Paris newspapers carried a report that eventually the Rhineland will be internationalized by action of the allies. No doubt this would be highly satisfactory to France.

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Addressing parliament Premier Bonar Law announced that Great Britain would not ask the United States to participate in a discussion of reparations, because the United States was not a party to the treaty in which the reparations are set up.

In an interview the Premier added, in effect, that if the United States had performed its peace duty as well as it had performed its war duty, the present situation would not exist.

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The armistice terminated, fighting was resumed in Ireland. Dublin was in terror when rebel raids broke out. Important activities by the Free State troops resulted in some significant captures. It is street talk in Ireland that De Valera has been taken.

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The assembly committee on taxation has recommended the Dahl income tax bill for passage. The bill repeals the personal property offset, abolishes the mill taxes for educational purposes and teachers' pensions, and sets up an entirely new schedule of income taxes expanding rapidly at the higher levels.

The action of the committee was taken after 72 Wisconsin manufacturing corporations had notified the legislature that if drastic tax laws were adopted they would either abandon all

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Wets And Drys Row In House

WASHINGTON.—By the Associated Press.—Foes and friends of prohibition in the house met Saturday in an oratorical encounter which kept the membership in an uproar for nearly an hour and apparently furnished a great deal of delight to crowded galleries.

Aroused by assaults on the Volstead act by Representatives Gallivan, democrat, and Tinkham, republican, both of Massachusetts, Representatives Crampton, republican of Michigan, Upshaw, democrat of Georgia, and other "dry" leaders hit back without mincing words as their followers shouted or applauded their approval. Addresses of the Massachusetts members, and more particularly that of Mr. Gallivan, were characterized as "vaudeville stunts" and notice was given that prohibition would be enforced.

As the storm broke around them, the three "wet" leaders, Representatives Tinkham, Gallivan and Till, republican of Maryland, gathered together on a front row, conferring and laughing occasionally seeking to interrupt the speakers.

"Unfilable Three of a Kind"

"Why all this nonsense?" demanded Representative Blanton, democrat of Texas, in closing the debate. "But for the two gentlemen from Massachusetts and the rider of the white charger from Baltimore (Mr. Hill) this house would be unanimously 'dry.' They are three of a kind, but they could draw until eternity and never fill their hand."

"We'll draw a 'full house' in the next congress," shouted Representative Hill.

"Your grandchildren will be 80 years old before you could do it," retorted Blanton.

Opening the discussion, Mr. Gallivan told the house that he had observed from a Washington newspaper that the Anti-Saloon league now proposed to make members of congress "drink as they vote." He then announced that he would pause while "dry" members who "religiously vote as the league tells them to vote," and who "take a drink and like a drunk," raised their hands.

Slap at Senator

"Why, Mr. Chairman," he said, after the pause, "all I can see around this chamber is haloes. Well, I guess we are all sober this morning (laughter) even though a senator got drunk the other night—a 'dry' senator—and they had to stop him from answering a roll-call, and it took two of his colleagues to hold him."

Representative Blanton objected to such a reference to a senator.

"I am not violating the rules of this house when I refer to 'dry' senators getting drunk," returned Mr. Gallivan amid a roar of laughter and applause.

At the suggestion of Representative Madden, republican of Illinois, Mr. Gallivan withdrew the language to which Mr. Blanton objected and went on with his address in which he inveighed against the increasing cost of prohibition enforcement, and predicted that if the present tendency of crowding the courts with liquor cases continued as a result of the "snooping" of federal agents, the department of justice would become "the Pooh Bah of America."

Final Jab at Wheeler

As he concluded, the Massachusetts member caused a craning of necks by announcing that he would address the last paragraph of his speech "to the gentleman who sits behind the clock in the gallery, the Hon. Wayne B. Wheeler, of the Anti-Saloon league, the man who says it is lawless to agitate for the repeal of the Volstead law; I say to him that he belongs to the tribe of the Pharaohs whose tomb has just been opened at Luxor after 3,000 years."

Making the first reply for the "drys," Representative Dickinson, republican of Iowa, declared it was costing the government "practically nothing" to enforce prohibition because of the fines and penalties collected from violators of the Volstead act.

Representative Cramton followed with a denial that the Washington newspaper article to which Mr. Gallivan had referred contained any reference to the Anti-Saloon league directing an investigation against members of congress.

"It is all a part of an attempt to besmirch and besmudge," he declared. "It is a case where truth does not matter; acts do not handicap. It is only to put on here a good vaudeville stunt. It is all right here, where we know this sort of performance."

"If it is necessary to get enforcement in this country to spend more than $14,000,000 we are going to do it," declared Mr. Cramton amid applause.

FRENCH SEIZE BILLIONS IN PAPER MARKS; PART OF IT BRITISH PAYROLL

BANK DEMANDS RETURN AS PRIVATE PROPERTY, IMMUNE

Plates for Printing 20,000-Mark Notes are also Taken by French

BULLETIN

COLOGNE.—The manager of the local branch of the Reichsbank declares that part of the money seized by the French from the Berlin-Cologne express Saturday was the usual weekly consignment for the use of the British army of occupation.

The Reichsbank has sent a strong protest against the seizure to the inter-allied Rhineland high commission.

BERLIN.—By The Associated Press.—A consignment of 12,000,800,000 marks, fresh from the Reichsbank, and plates belonging to the Reichsbank were seized by French soldiers Saturday from the Berlin-Cologne express at Hengsley, near Hagen.

The soldiers boarded the train just as it was coming into the station and ransacked every compartment at the point of the bayonet. Many of the passengers were not aware of the soldiers' presence for some time.

Two Reichsbank guards vainly protested the seizure.

Take Printing Plates

The soldiers also took duplicate sets of copper plates for an issue of 20,000 mark notes. Both the money and the plates were on the way to the Reichsbank's Rhineland branches.

The cash seized amounts to only a small fraction of the bank's daily output in currency, yet the officials are highly incensed at the seizure, claiming the money, as well as the plates, is private property, absolutely immune from confiscation. They believe, however, that the French will not be able to make practical use of the plates, since a special quality of paper is required to print the 20,000 mark notes.

The German government will make immediate demands to the French and Belgian governments for restoration of the money and plates on the ground that they are private property.

French Sack Bochum C. of C.

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—French troops completely sacked the Bochum chamber of commerce headquarters last night, says a Reuter dispatch from Essen, because the members of the chamber refused to negotiate except with the leading French authorities.

The safes in the offices were forced, the archives strewn about the floor and the furniture destroyed, the dispatch adds.

Only "Red" Papers Permitted

ESSEN. — By The Associated Press.—With the suppression today of the Essenger Anzeiger by the authorities of occupation Essen's last non-radical daily disappeared from the streets. The Anzeiger has been forbidden to appear for a fortnight. Only the socialist and communist papers now are being published.

TWO DIVORCES ARE GRANTED BY HIGBEE ONE IS HELD OVER

Mrs. Ella Huebner and Frank Kratzer Granted Decrees; Henry Case is Delayed

JUDGE FOWLER TO TRY CASES HERE BEGINNING MARCH 7

Liquor Charges Against Steffrud and Dooley Murder Case up

Two divorces were granted in circuit court Saturday by Judge Higbee.

Mrs. Ella McVey Huebner was granted a divorce from Herbert Huebner. She charged her husband with non-support, cruel and inhuman treatment and desertion. The court awarded her $35 a month alimony, attorney's fees of $50 and disbursements. Huebner, who is an electrician, cannot be located, the court was informed.

Archie Henry of Vernon county sued Mrs. Addie C. Henry for divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment and desertion. District Attorney Heinz of Viroqua, who also is divorce counsel, was not present in court to report on the Henry case so the court held the case open until a report had been submitted.

Frank Kratzer was granted a divorce from Mrs. Anna Kratzer. The court was informed that the Kratzers had been living apart for five years, the statutory limit.

Another motion day will be held by Judge Higbee in circuit court Saturday.

Judge Fowler of Fond du Lac will hold court here on March 7, beginning at 9 a. m., at which hour the February jury will report. The liquor charges against Helge Steffrud, Third street restaurant man, and the charge of murder of Frank Colgan against Claud Dooley will be tried by Judge Fowler.

TURKS TO OFFER GROUND FOR NEW PARLEY ON PEACE

Debate is on at Angora and Smyrna Row is Discreetly Dropped

CONSTANTINOPLE.—By the Associated Press—A secret debate on the treaty began in the national assembly at Angora Saturday afternoon, and it will likely continue for two or three days. The Turkish reply will be submitted to the allies after an open session of the assembly when a detailed explanation of the situation will be presented.

It is generally expected that the reply will contain counter suggestions on the disputed points, opening the way for further parleys. The fact that exchange continues favorable to Turkish money is regarded as indicative of a possible settlement.

The Smyrna controversy has apparently been quietly dropped, temporarily at least.

SEVEN HOUR FIGHT IN IRISH "WAR" HURTS FIVE MEN

DUBLIN.—A body of Free State troops returning to Westport Saturday with eight prisoners was ambushed and sniped for seven hours. When reinforcement arrived, the irregulars retreated, but fourteen of them were captured afterwards. The Free State forces suffered five casualties.

Three important bridges at Blessington, near Dublin, were blown up Saturday morning. One of them carried the water main to Blessington and the supply of the town was shut off.

HOMER HART SAYS HE WANTS CIGARS AND NOT FLOWERS

"Send cigars, not flowers," says Homer Hart, who is very much alive at his home, 521 South Sixteenth street.

The report was generally circulated about the streets Saturday that Mr. Hart had died of an attack of flu, but, to quote Mark Twain, "the report is grossly exaggerated." Mr. Hart has been ill for a few days, but is rapidly recovering from his attack of the grip.

JILTS FIANCEE AND REFUSES TO ACCEPT HIS OWN CHILDREN

Girl Must Return to Denmark With Motherless Family of the Man

NEW YORK.—Miss Sigrid Svensen, governess, of Denmark, and the three motherless children of Frederick Barentzen, Brooklyn leather dealer, who failed to keep his promise to marry the young woman, were held at Ellis Island Saturday, awaiting a ship that will take them back to Copenhagen.

Three years ago, when Barentzen's wife died in Copenhagen, Olga, Olaf and Hans were placed in the care of Miss Svensen. She learned to love them, and they returned her affection. The father, who came to America two years ago, was prosperous. He wrote to Miss Svensen, proposing marriage. She accepted. He sent money for her passage and that of the children.

Happiness in their hearts, they sailed. As they neared a Hudson river pier, the father, carrying flowers for his betrothed, waved greetings. But when they debarked he did not meet them and they were sent to the immigration station.

Welfare workers pleaded with the man to keep his promise. He refused. He declined even to request custody of his children, they said. He gave no reason for his attitude.

Miss Svensen was advised by immigration officials to appeal from the action of the board of inquiry that excluded her and the children.

"No," she said. "We will return. I can care for them."

CAPTURE ALLEGED PAYROLL BANDIT

CAMBRIDGE, O.—Andy Vesosky, captured by a posse of county and city officials and armed coal miners in a deep gully in the hills of southeastern Ohio, is in the county jail here Saturday night charged with robbing Charles Moss, paymaster for the Akron Coal company, of $16,000. The money was recovered shortly before Vesosky was apprehended.

Moss, who was shot in the arm by the robber, is in a local hospital but the wound is said not to be serious. Vesosky refused to talk.

HUGE STORE OF ARMS LOCATED IN TENEMENT

U. S. Agents and Police Find Ammunition and Machine Gun Cache on Gotham Water-front

DISCOVERED BY FURTIVE ACTIONS OF TRUCKMAN

Two Seized Unloading Grenades and High Explosives

NEW YORK.—The seizure of 75 cases of hand grenades and high explosives being unloaded from a truck into a basement in the Chelsea pier district Saturday night, led to the discovery of 100 more cases, which had been secreted in a river-front lodging house.

Machine Guns and Rifles

A few minutes later city and federal authorities uncovered in the same building 200 rifles, twenty machine guns and large quantities of steel jacketed machine gun ammunition in belts.

The explosives, in huge packing cases were addressed to "S. C. S.—New York," and to "Arthur Leibinger, 263 West Thirty-fourth street." All were labelled "Precaution, high explosives—Handle with care."

Four men who were transferring the explosives, were taken in custody and quizzed as to the source and destination of their cargo. They professed not to know by whom it was being shipped, or where.

While a cordon of special police was thrown about the truck load and the building where part of its contents has been stowed, chiefs of the secret service, police authorities, fire department officials, heads of the bomb squad and of the bureau of combustibles, were summoned to break open and examine the strong boxes seized. The seizure was made in the Chelsea pier section of the North river, where the Cunard, White Star and French lines have their principal docks.

Seized for Furtive Actions

The basement into which the explosives were being transferred was surmounted by a three story building. The truck was a large one, with a canvas hood which concealed its contents. A patrolman on a water-front beat caused the arrests and seizure. When he notified headquarters the four men were acting with suspicious secrecy.

The only statement forthcoming from city or government officials after a hurried investigation was that there was "a possibility the ammunition was being smuggled to unauthorized ammunition dealers."

Whether these were abroad or at home they declined to indicate.

Edward and Patrick Howey, brothers, who claimed to own the moving van whence the explosives, in huge packing cases, were being skidded along a plank into the basement, were taken into custody, as was Joseph O'Buryne, proprietor of the lodging-house. Two others engaged in unloading the munitions when a water-front patrolman became suspicious and summoned police and secret service agents, escaped. A half dozen tenants of the lodging-house also were taken to headquarters to be questioned.

Came From Hoboken

The Howey brothers claimed to have hauled the seized cargo from "a red brick warehouse" on River street, Hoboken, N. J., at the instance of the two men who escaped, whose names they claimed not to know.

Authorities of every division of the local and federal police system surrounded the property where the seizure occurred and immediately began ripping open the packing cases in the lodging-house "arsenal." They found hand grenades, loaded and set, rifle grenades, smokeless gunpowder, safety cartridges, machine guns, rifle ammunition, iron bombs and quantities of iron rods the purpose of which was not known.

MIKE M'HUGH HOME AT HOLMEN BURNED TO GROUND FRIDAY

The residence of Mike McHugh, of Holmen, was destroyed by fire Friday, shortly after noon. The blaze was discovered in the attic. By the time the Holmen chemical engine arrived the flames had eaten their way down into the second story and were beyond control. Neighbors helped Mrs. McHugh remove most of the furniture. Mr. McHugh was not at home at the time. The fire is believed to have started from a defective chimney. The loss is believed to approximate $6,000 or $7,000, partly insured.

STOVE BLAST WRECKS CAR

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio. — Sixteen passengers were injured late Saturday when a stove blew up in an interurban car on the Youngstown & Suburban railway a short distance from here. The blast blew the entire front out of the car.

HARDING ASKS SENATE TO APPROVE JOINING WORLD PEACE COURT

Harvey Declares Sky's Limit For Aid To Britain

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—Ambassador George Harvey, speaking as the guest of honor at the dinner of the London Press club Saturday night referred to a statement he is reported to have made on his recent visit to Washington, that "America is well out of the whole mess," and said:

"I was glad that we were out of the mess, as England would be glad if she were out of the mess. It isn't a question of the policy of a nation; it is a question of the necessity of a nation.

"I have a real, plain, simple desire to do everything I can, and everything my country can, to help this empire in the terrible distress she is in—to help her out of the mess that she has got to get out of, and there is no limit I would not go and my people would not go, now that the wretched debt business is out of the way, to help this country."

COMBINE LENROOT AND CAPPER BILLS TO GAIN HOUSE

Hope Combination Farm Credits Measure Will End House Row

WASHINGTON.—By the Associated Press. — Tentative agreement was reached Saturday by the house banking committee on a rural credits bill which both Chairman McFadden and Representative Wingo, of Arkansas, ranking democrat, said they believed would be approved by the various groups in the congressional row which has attended consideration of the subject. As drawn, but subject to final vote by the committee, the bill embraces the Capper and Lenroot-Anderson measures, passed by the senate, and the Strong bill, passed by the house.

Concessions All Around

Concessions are understood to have been made all around in an effort to agree on a program which would command the greatest support in the house. All three of the measures, committee members said, were amended to prevent any possible overlapping and to remove what might be construed as legal obstacles.

The bill carries the provision of the Lenroot-Anderson bill creating a system of intermediate credit banks under supervision of the farm loan bank system, but amended the section to limit the capital stock to $60,000,000. As passed by the senate, expansion to $120,000,000 would have been authorized.

Discount Credit Banks Paper

The intermediate credit banks, although under the direction of the farm loan bank directors, would be independent in so far as their assets and liabilities are concerned. Their agricultural paper will be eligible for discount at federal reserve banks. Chairman McFadden expressed confidence that the provision would not be further amended.

Acceptance by the committee of many provisions of the Lenroot-Anderson measure including the intermediate credits system, committee members said, would tend to harmonize the differences in the house and permit quick passage of the measure on Tuesday, when it is expected to be taken up. Farm bloc leaders, however, were silent preferring to have an opportunity to study the measure before expressing an opinion on its acceptability.

POLAND DEMANDS LEAGUE DISCIPLINE THE LITHUANIANS

Want Her Expelled from Society of Nations and Other Penalties

WARSAW—By The Associated Press—A demand that the league of nations apply all possible penalties to Lithuania, including exclusion from the league, for her open aggressions in the neutral district of Vilna, is made by Poland in a note forwarded to the league headquarters.

The note points out that the alleged aggressions took place while Poland was occupying the district in compliance with the orders of the council.

BUOY DRIFTS 3,000 MILES

LONDON.—A whistling buoy, which was reported lost from the St. Lawrence river a year ago, has been washed ashore at Bryher, one of the Scilly Islands. It is thirty feet in circumference and twelve feet high. The carbide gas light case was wrenched from the top of the buoy on its journey of 3,000 miles.

RESERVATIONS TO AVOID "TANGLING" WITH THE LEAGUE

Message in Closing Days of Session Takes Senators by Surprise

"IRRECONCILABLES" DELAY STARTING FIGHT ON PLAN

Not Believed Action May be Had in Present Congress

WASHINGTON.—By the Associated Press. — Conditional American membership in the international court set up by the league of nations was proposed Saturday by President Harding.

In a message to the senate, asking that it advise and consent to such a step, the president declared participation in the tribunal offered an opportunity through which the United States could demonstrate its willingness to aid in preserving world stability without in any manner assuming "any legal relation to the league."

Suggests Reservations

Four reservations, the first of which would specifically disclaim any obligations under the league, were suggested by Mr. Harding as necessary conditions to membership in the court. The others would give this government a voice in selecting the judges of the court and in making changes in its basic regulations and would provide that congress determine what part of the expenses of the tribunal are to be paid out of the American treasury.

Although there had been intimations that American participation in the court was favored in administration quarters, the president's message came as a complete surprise to senators generally and all indications pointed to a delay in senate action on the recommendation until the session of congress which meets in December.

Among the leaders of "irreconcilibles" of the league of nations fight, in particular, there were predictions that nothing would be done until time had been given for mature reflection and comprehensive debate.

No Action this Congress

A special meeting of the foreign relations committee was called to meet Tuesday to take up the president's proposal, but there seemed to be no hope that final action would be possible in the four days remaining thereafter before the present congress goes out of existence.

So far as the merits of the proposal were concerned, there was a general disinclination to comment. Even the "irreconcilibles" were unwilling to openly declare war on the plan, despite their private expressions of dissatisfaction. The republican organization leaders, including Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, chairman of the foreign relations committee, would only say that they must give the subject further study before announcing what would be done. Among the democrats who had supported the league there was a general disposition to endorse the objects sought by Mr. Harding, but they all stopped there and asked for time to think it over.

Read Late in Afternoon

It was indicated that one factor standing in the way of an immediate expression of individual senatorial opinion was the fact that the president's message, having gone to the capitol late in the day, had not yet received a careful reading even by the leaders. It arrived at the senate chamber five minutes before the day's business was halted under a previous unanimous consent agreement, and so had to be read to the senate behind the closed doors of the brief executive session held to consider nominations before the senate recessed until Monday.

A letter by Secretary Hughes, accompanying the message was not read to the senate, no copies were distributed, and senators had no opportunity of learning his views except from the newspapers. Arrangements were made, however, for printing both of the papers and their distribution among senators Monday.

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, acting democratic leader, was one of those who approved the purpose sought by the administration, but withheld comment on the specific plan presented.

"Irreconcilables" Suspicious

It was disclosed that Senator Lodge, although he also declined to comment, had been apprised of the administration's intentions and had discussed the matter several times with Secretary Hughes. The leaders among the republican "irreconcilables", including Senators Borah of Idaho, La Follette of Wisconsin, Brandegee of Connecticut, and McCormick of Illinois, hinted that they might have much to say within a day

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SPOOL OF THREAD PAID THE RENT IN THIS GERMAN TOWN

Tenant Short of Money Offers Thread Purchased Before the War

BERLIN.—What to do when the rent came around puzzled the tenant of a seven-room house at Celle, Westphalia, when he was short of money, until he happened to think of several spools of sewing-machine thread left on hand from purchases made before the war.

The tenant pays 900 marks annually for the house and the quarter's rent amounted to 225. His offer to pay the landlord with one spool of the thread was accepted, the tenant receiving 10 marks cash in change since this thread now sells for 235 marks a spool. Before the war, the spools cost him 30 pfennigs each.

A federal law limits the prices that may be charged for rent; thread follows the dollar rate of exchange.

"A town without a telephone" is the dubious title acquired by Mehrstedt, a place of 100 inhabitants situated in Thuringia. Up to recently, Mehrstedt boasted at least the usual central toll station, but one day the mail-carrier came along and officially carried off its sole apparatus. None of the residents feels he can afford the luxury of a connection, so all now have to wait for the mails to let them know "how the dollar stands."

COMPANY I REUNION AT NEENAH TUESDAY

NEENAH, Wis.—Company I, famous Wisconsin National Guard unit, organized here in 1900, but which has been replaced through reorganization of the state guard, is planning a reunion of all former members on Tuesday, February 27. About 100 veterans, many of whom have seen service on the Mexican border and overseas, will attend.

MAYVILLE MAN GIVEN NEW CHANCE BY JUDGE

JUNEAU, Wis.—With a prison sentence of three years hanging over his head, William Schwartz, Mayville, thanked Judge C. M. Davidson in circuit court here for being given a second chance. Schwartz was on probation for having been convicted of hitting his wife over the head with a hammer. He broke his probation recently for getting drunk.

SISTERS OF PRESIDENT TOUR SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AIRES, [illegible]—Mrs. H. H. Votaw and Mrs. Abigail Harding, sisters of President Harding, arrived here on the steamship Pan America, after a [illegible] from Montevideo. They were received by representatives of the American embassy and the Argentine foreign office.

COLOMBIA NAMES FIRST MEXICO ENVOY IN 25 YEARS

MEXICO CITY.—For the first time in twenty-five years Colombia has named a minister to Mexico, according to El Universal. Dr. Luis Cuervo Marquez has been selected for the post, says the newspaper, and will assume [illegible] shortly.

[illegible] of Luxemburg was [illegible]

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

New books at the Public Library reviewed by Lilly M. E. Borresen, Librarian.

Passing of the Great Race, by Madison Grant

The author considers European history in terms of race. "Race," says Henry Fairfield Osborn in his introduction, "has played a far larger part than either language or nationality in moulding the destinies of men." Three European races are recognized: the Nordic, the Mediterranean and the Alpine. Of these it is the Nordic, embracing the Anglo-Saxon, Scandinavian and the Teutonic peoples, whose passing is regretted. This, according to the author is the superior race, par excellence but many factors are uniting to destroy it—war, climate, alcohol, disease (in particular tuberculosis) and voluntary race suicide. In America we are accelerating the process by unrestricted immigration. The author is essentially aristocratic in his point of view; democratic control and universal suffrage point the way to degeneration. In his opinion the declaration of independence was based on a false conception of the power of environment.

The author presents biological, historical and psychic facts in support of his belief that environment and education have an immediate, apparent and temporary influence while heredity has a deep, subtle and permanent influence on the actions of men.

The book treats consecutively of the Alpine, Mediterranean and Nordic races and presents as thoroughly as possible an epitome of the development spread, and varied ultimate crossings and achievements of the "Great" or Nordic Race. Herein Mr. Grant's enthusiasm has led to occasional overestimates, and to the belief in the Nordic blood of certain historically dominant personages and peoples of whom we have not convincing knowledge—Alexander the Great to cite a notable instance. In fact as one reads and is almost carried away by one's interest and a feeling of pardonable pride if one happens to be a blond with undoubtedly pure Nordic blood in one's veins, one cannot help, if one is the least bit critical noticing inconsistent statements and thinking that the author is trying to prove too much.

It is therefore a decided satisfaction to come across what appears to be a very able review of the book by Franz Boas, professor of anthropology at Columbia University, in the New Republic magazine for January 18, 1917—for be it noted this is not a very recent book. The review is so long that only a few extracts can be quoted; but it ought to be read by all who read the book and several other recent books that are evidently based upon it.

Prof. Boas says: "The opinions expressed in this book are so dangerous that the fact that the author is well known on account of his scientific interest and that the book is introduced by a man so eminent as Pres. Henry Fairfield Osborn, makes it necessary to expose the fallacies on which it is built up. First of all, the whole concept of heredity as held by him is faulty. The hereditary lines that are present in every single race are very diverse. Every race contains excellent strains, a vast number of mediocre strains, and some strains that are subnormal. There is nothing to show that all the blond, blue-eyed, tall individuals present excellent strains; there are mediocre and subnormal types among them just as well as among other races; and the proof has never been given that the relative number of excellent hereditary strains in this race is greater than in others."

"Contrary to the statement of the author we have evidence collected by the writer of this review (Prof. Franz Boas) showing that the transversal diameter of the face is subject to changes due to environment. The observations in regard to modifications of head form under varying environment are multiplying. In short, there is every reason to believe that, so far as stature and proportions of body are concerned, the local differences of human types found in Europe are not by any means exclusively hereditary; but also to a great extent environmental."

"The book has obviously not been written for the purpose of setting forth scientifically well founded data on which to base a theory, but its object is to show that democratic institutions and the arrival of immigrants of non-northwest-European type are a danger to the welfare of the American people."

"If we were to follow purely rational eugenic methods, which fortunately we cannot do, we should have to select our best endowed individuals from the most divergent types and many of the scions of North-European nobility who do conform with Mr. Grant's racial requirements would have to be removed from our society on account of their degeneracy."

The Revolt Against Civilization, by F. Lothrop Stoddard

A reviewer in the Atlantic Monthly says of this book and its author: "Mr. Stoddard is one of the most stimulating writers on public affairs today, but like all stimulants he must be taken with due caution. The Revolt Against Civilization is a book to be pondered, but it is not a book to be swallowed whole." The present reviewer agrees with this estimate. It is one of the recent books evidently largely based on Grant's "Passing of the Great Race."

Reexamining the problem of social revolution in the light of biology and psychology Mr. Stoddard discovers 'three fatal tendencies which have always, sooner or later, brought civilizations to decline and ruin'. These are (1) the tendency to 'structural overloading' by which every civilization and especially our own, tends to become too complex for humanity to master; (2) 'the tendency to 'biological regression,' in other words the rapid breeding of the socially unfit, the 'undermen' who crowd out the finer types of humanity; and (3) the tendency to 'atavistic revolt,' that 'menace of the underman' which gives the book it's subtitle.

To the last two Mr. Stoddard devotes most of his attention. He attacks with special acerbity that delusion of the 18th century that all men are created equal and devotes a whole chapter to the discussion of the iron law of inequality and in this connection makes use of the data derived from the army intelligence tests which indicate that only four and a half per cent of our population is of the highest intelligence and that nearly one half of the whole population will never develop mental capacity beyond the stage represented by a normal fourteen year old child.' He also attacks as equally fallacious that belief so commonly held and acted upon in our time that environment is a more important factor in human development than heredity. He claims that modern researches in biology have absolutely proved that mental capacity being innate and hereditary, cannot be affected by the environment. He quotes some very interesting experiments in this connection. Morever—a commonplace of the population problem—the highly intelligent have so few children that they cannot maintain their numbers from generation to generation, whereas the unfit are alarmingly prolific. Hence 'intelligence is today being steadily bred out of the American population;' and the unfit, instinctively resenting the inferior social position to which they are doomed by innate incapacity constitute a smouldering mass of sullen resentment, ready to burst into destructive flame, as they did in the Paris Commune and as they have more recently done in Bolshevik Russia. His explanation of how the leaders in the revolt of the 'Underman' are obtained is particularly interesting. He says they belong to three significant types—the 'borderliner,' the man who cannot quite make good in a complex civilization the 'disinherited,' who is a man innately capable of civilized success but cast into the depths by social injustice or individual wrongdoing, and lastly 'the misguided superior' who is so far ahead of the civilization of his time that he is exasperated by its slow progress shocked at faults and erroneously ascribes to the majority of mankind his own lofty impulses and so dreams short cuts to the millennium.

Will this process of degeneration and revolt destroy our civilization as it has so many others? Mr. Stoddard fears it may, unless we adopt his remedies, which include repression of revolt the moment it expresses itself in action, but warns that free speech must not be interfered with; birth-control for the masses as well as for the classes, segregation of the feeble minded and the gradual application of practical eugenics. To quote from the Atlantic Monthly reviewer once more "In his main conclusions Mr. Stoddard can hardly be refuted. In detail there is room for fault-finding. Company officers who knew their men during the war, and who watched the results of the psychological tests, may not altogether share his views of their infallibility. His biology too, is of the library rather than the laboratory."

"Remarkable here, as in all Mr. Stoddard's writing, are his extraordinary lucidity, and the fascination with which he clothes social and biological questions that in most hands would be far drier than dust."

The ordinary bee lives four years.

The potato is a native of South America.

SECRET AIR MESSAGE POSSIBLE WITH NEW SWEDISH INVENTION

Radio Telegrams Turned into Secret Code by Means of "Cryptograph"

STOCKHOLM.—A remarkable machine which automatically turns radio telegrams into secret code at the sending station and transfers these messages into straight text at the receiving station, has been invented and is being tried out in Sweden, thus signaling another stride in the rapid advances made in wireless communication.

The new machine, called a cryptograph, in receiving the message as originally written by the sender and enciphering it mechanically, eliminates the human factor of the code clerk, who is liable to error, and avoids the delays which have been costly annoyances under the old systems. One of the purposes of this machine is to make the message undecipherable by those for whom it was not originally meant if picked up while in the air, thus helping materially in the solution of the crucial problem of secrecy for radio messages.

The cryptograph probably will be installed at the new high powered radio station of Grimeton, near Gothenburg, Sweden, designed for service between Scandinavian countries and America, which will be ready for use before the end of the year.

Punch gets its name from the Hindu beverage Panch (five), so named because it required five ingredients to make it.

MAN IN MARINETTE CASE STALLS EXTRADITION PLAN

MARINETTE, Wis.—John M. Landrigan, who is being sought on charges brought by Miss Georgiana Dauphin of Marinette, was still in Chicago Wednesday after the first legal skirmish in the fight to get Landrigan into Wisconsin. Emmet Butts, deputy sheriff, returned after Landrigan's attorney secured an adjournment of the case until Friday upon a technicality.

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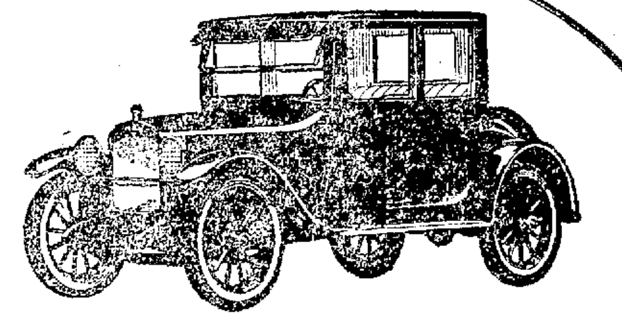

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ACCORDING TO FAITH

THE Lord openeth the eyes of the blind . . . . . according to your faith be it unto you.—Psalms 166: 8; Matthew 9:29.

Rubber

THERE has been much to say in newspapers within the last few months concerning the policy of the British in restricting the export of rubber from its oceanic islands in order to keep up the price. Inasmuch as this country is by far the largest user of rubber it has been freely charged that the British scheme is a means of making American motorists pay the British war debt in an added tax on their tires. And there is no doubt that the British plan of restricting exports, partly voluntary, partly by means of a prohibitive tax on a sliding scale based on prices, is operating to bring the price of rubber sharply upwards.

Now we begin to hear, however, an answer to American protests from England. The British say that the rubber restriction is no more of a maneuver against the Unitied States than the restriction of cotton acreage in the south is a menace to British trade and manufacture. And the beam in our eye thus pointed out seems to have a certain basis when we recall that the American cotton crop of 1922 was the smallest for years, if not in history, and that acreage for this year is expected to be still further reduced. Moreover, the reduction of acreage is earnestly assisted by state and federal agencies, as well as by voluntary association of the cottton growers. The situation has at least certain analogies to the colonial rubber action of the British.

It would probably be wiser if the situation were to be discussed without the recrimination which makes an act of benefit to one country appear as a deliberate gouge against another. It is a question of business, primarily, and should be treated as such. We can probably gauge the attitude of the British in the rubber matter fairly well by our feeling about the restriction of cotton acreage. Certainly no one in this country intended to level a blow at British interests. It was simply a matter of protecting the cotton-growers against unprofitably low prices, in which the government engaged from solicitous and proper interest in the welfare of the industry. In the same way the British, distressed by the collapse of rubber prices after the war boom, have taken steps to protect their growers.

Probably the movement to start the cultivation of rubber in the Philippines offers the most businesslike approach to the problem without involving friction between governments. Here the British have shown us the way. Their rubber plantations now are the chief source of supply in the world, far eclipsing the Brazilian territory in which rubber was originally discovered, and which for generations was the only source of supply. And yet the British plantation rubber became a factor in the world market only a few years ago —along in 1917 or 1918. These plantations are an entirely cultivated and artificial development, the trees having been transported from Brazil.

The enterprise and vision of the British in grasping the possibilities of growing rubber on the other side of the world from its native home, and their skill and determination in developing the industry have given them for the present command of the world market. The same qualities applied by Americans to American territory with conditions very much similar to those in the British possessions could doubtless protect us sufficiently against British profiteering, within a comparatively short time. The British might not be pleased with the competition, any more than we are pleased with the British methods of maintaining rubber prices. But it would be merely a condition of business, rather than a case for international squabbles, which would not only be more pleasant to experience, but also, no doubt, more effective. After all, we can call the British all kinds of profiteers to our hearts' content, but they will still have the rubber and sell it as pleases them regardless of our objections, unless we bring to bear something more effective than abuse.

In New York, a woman kicked in a shop window. She may have seen a hat just like hers for less money.

A Lenten Editorial

Jesus, the World's Burden-Bearer

(By REV. RALPH MORTENSON, Bethel Lutheran Church.)

"BEHOLD, there is the Lamb of God that is to remove the sins of the world." Thus did John the Baptist introduce Jesus of Nazareth to his contemporaries on the banks of the Jordan and to us of the twentieth century.

Rev. R. Mortenson

Jesus came "to remove the sins of the world." The problem of evil is as closely connected with the problem of sin as cause to effect. The sum total of evil in the world has been caused by the sum total of sin. For the sins the human race has committed, it must suffer. Disease, famine, drought, pestilence, war, and death are the fruits of sin. Jesus saw before him the results of sin, and it weighed on his mind. Why all the suffering through disease and through hunger and through death? As early as the sixth century Laatze in China had pondered on this deep question and Gautama Buddha in India. Laatze maintained that only by ordering one's life according to Heaven's way, or mode of action, could one attain the perfect and harmonious life. Gautama traces the origin of evil to the human desire and inclinations and holds that only by buffeting the body can a person conquer evil.

The mind of Jesus penetrates deeper still into the problem of evil when he says it is essentially a problem of sin. For sin is a matter not of intellectual mal-adjustment to a heavenly scheme, nor the nurturing of all natural desires of the body, but the conflict of our wills with God. And knowing what sin was and knowing God as a Father, Jesus was in a position to bring incalculable blessing upon the human race. As reconciliator He gave us a solution, and made fellowship with God possible for the whole race.

The solution to the problem of evil is to remove its cause, which is sin. The solution of the problem of sin is to remove its cause, which is the disharmony between our will and God's. God is love and whenever and wherever we do anything conflicting with His love we have sinned. Jesus, the only perfect man, though burdened with the sins of the whole race, through active self-control subordinated His will under God's, and could finally pray to His Father: "Not my will be done, but thine."

CHURCH NEWS

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Interest on th epart of religious peoples, Christian and Jew, in discoveries in the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amun is as keen as on the part of dealers in women's clothes, or in art embroideries. Religious people do not look for anything that will upset Revelation, but they hope there may be discovered the Egyptians' version of the plagues said to have been visited upon them to compel them to release Israel, and their account of the destruction of Pharaoh's army at the bottom of the Red Sea. They believe this ruler may have been the one on the throne at the time, or if not, then one succeeding closely after these stirring events, and likely to furnish a front-page story for any papyri found in his tomb. Several men eminent in scholarship have expressed themselves as not being ready to believe there will be found anything beyond a story of the Exodus of Jews. Communication was difficult and the world was small. Hence Egypt hardly knew of any history of the Jewish people, living far off, and by no means people of wealth and position such as Egyptians enjoyed. But so great an event as the dividing of waters of the sea, and the wholesale drowning of an army, would assuredly be set down if it occurred. The king would have news, and if any writing were placed in the tomb, that writing would be. It was the custom in other cases to give current history in some measure, and in such cases.

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The "Little Church Around the Corner", New York, next to Plymouth, Brooklyn, the best known place of religious worship in America, certainly in New York, is to have a new rector. It is seventy-five years old as a parish, and its new rector is but the third. And he is the first whose name is not Houghton. The founder was the Rev. Dr. George H. Houghton, and the rector soon to retire because old and ill, is his nephew, the Rev. Dr. George C. Houghton. The new rector, who is to be a vicar for the present, is the Rev. J. H. Randolph Ray, a Mississippian who went to New York to be educated, to get a wife, and now to get the rectorship of a church known all over the world.

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The same Quakers who led during the World war in getting into difficult fields ahead of others, and after the war were the first Americans to begin rebuilding in northern France and Belgium, have now led in a unique feature of relief work in Russia. Instead of doling out food and clothes they set up employment bureaus, men and women, even children at times, and offered payment in money, given quantities of food, definite quantities of clothing. In this way their money has accomplished far more, there has been less danger of waste, and relief has been placed upon a self supporting basis. One task which American Quakers have been paying good wages for doing is keeping wolves away from communities. To add to terrors of starvation, wolves have been more numerous and more ugly than ever known. So hunters were engaged, wolves were killed off, and people protected. Mothers have been engaged to care for small children, roads have been repaired, bridges have been built, canals have been dug to protect villages against spring freshets, firewood has been cut, trades have been taught, and relief stores have been transported.

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Only a few years ago Congregationalists changed radically the methods employed in their general benevolent work. Now they are proposing further changes, like the others in the line of efficiency and growth. At present a Commission on Missions, reporting to a National Council, promotes benevolent gifts, but does not directly represent the various societies. One of these is the American Board, the oldest of foreign missionary societies in America, and one of the greatest in the world. Now it is proposed to create a central Board of Promotion, although that may not be its exact name, while retaining the Commission on Missions for other work. The aim, as stated, is to specialize the work by getting closer to touchers, closer to individual givers, and by cultivating the making of wills favorable to denominational causes. It is also desired that the people who do the promotion work shall directly represent societies. It is also desired that societies be brought into closer touch and sympathy. It is estimated that the changes may save as much as $200,000 a year.

FROM BAD TO WORSE ON THE RUHR

BY FRANK H. SIMONDS

WASHINGTON. — It requires no profoundly penetrating analysis to prove that affairs in the Ruhr are steadily marching from bad to worse. So far we have escaped any sudden and complete explosion. What has taken place is a steady decay of economic health accompanied by a constant exacerbation of feelings both on the German and French sides. We are manifestly nearer to that explosion which seems to me inevitable, although we have so far avoided it.

The outstanding event, of course, has been the renewal of discussions between Britain and France growing out of the French request for permission to use certain railway lines in the area occupied by the British. On the one hand German resistance has made it almost vital to France and Belgium to be able to use these railways; on the other, the intensification of bitterness makes it likely that if the lines are used German resistance will break out in the British area and thus involve the British.

Patently the British cabinet is terribly puzzled and even bewildered by the situation and the problem. It can withdraw its troops just as we did, but the withdrawal of the troops would have several consequences. It would at once eliminate the British from the situation, it would deprive them of any basis for intervention or for suggestion and it would turn over to France and her Belgian associate the whole of the left bank of the Rhine from Holland to Switzerland.

Probably the French would dislike to see the British go because of the moral effect of the retirement upon the Germans, but on the other hand they would be insured a free hand; thenceforth, the last hampering influence would be gone and they could settle down to the prosecution of the siege of Germany with complete assurance against any kind of disturbance in their rear and from an ally.

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British retirement—and it is almost certain to come—would thus in reality not only end the entente, which is gone anyway so far as positive values are concerned, but it would remove the last basis for British action on the continent. The departure of the British garrison from Cologne would witness the fact of French supremacy on the continent and it would be a signal no European state could misunderstand.

Of course this would be no more than an almost exact repetition of British policy after the fall of Napoleon. Then Castlereagh was just as unwilling to follow Britain's recent allies as is Bonar Law today or was Lloyd George yesterday. But in 1818 the British situation was much simpler than in 1923, that is, it was easier to get out of Europe and British domestic conditions were less gravely compromised by disturbances to the economic life of the continent.

What the British must work for, not as a mere matter of interest but as a question of life or death for them, is the restoration of peace in the world so that the world can buy British goods and enable the British to purchase food for its huge and congested population. There were ten millions of people in England, Scotland and Wales in the early days of the last century, there are forty-three now. Then Britain produced most of its food, was mainly agricultural, now it produces only a minor fraction of its food.

When in 1818 and the succeeding years the British retired from the continent, they were safe from any physical attack, for the channel at that time was almost as wide as is the ocean in the present. But all has changed and the last war proved that Britain could not only be blockaded by submarines and raided by airplanes, but also could be bombarded by such guns as shelled Paris in 1918.

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Yet it is hardly the danger of complete isolation which most impresses Englishmen. If some of them profess real fears of French aggression the mass of thoughtful men fear no direct attack, but the terrible consequences which must indirectly reach Britain, if the economic disintegration on the continent proceeds at the present rate, or even if there is no speedy turn of the tide. It is not the German market alone or mainly that they seek, what they apprehend is that all Europe will go down with Germany and all European markets be closed to British production.

Americans do not generally recognize the gravity of the British situation because the British themselves have made such superhuman efforts to adjust themselves to the new problem. England has balanced her budget, funded the American debt, met her obligations at home and abroad, but to do this she has imposed upon herself burdens such as have never been imposed by any country upon its inhabitants hitherto.

Now the frank question asked by not a few Englishmen is whether England can stand the strain. She has, in addition to all else, to maintain a million and a half of unemployed and she will have to maintain them until such time as peace in the outside world and some return of prosperity open the old markets for British products. This unemployment affliction is actually a cancer eating at the very vitals of Britain. And there is no domestic remedy.

If world conditions are not improved the chances are that in the long run Britain will collapse under her burdens, self imposed. No statesmanship, however enlightened, can permanently avoid this collapse for the causes lie outside of Britain, in the main. But since this is the fact, British statesmanship has stood vacillating between staying in Germany and retiring, solely because it has not been clear which course would best contribute to restraining France.

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The world situation remains apparently hopeless because the three great nations most concerned, namely Britain, Germany and France, can find no common ground for co-operation. Germany means to escape all financial burdens, her policy is complete evasion. But France means to compel German payment and to block this policy of evasion at all costs to Germany and even to the world, and she has the right in law, based on the treaty of Versailles, and in justice, based upon her own wrongs.

As for the British, they are legally and morally bound to support France in reasonable demands and to oppose the German policy of evasion. But convinced that France demands the impossible, while Germany refuses the possible, they are condemned to stand by while the consequences of Franco-Germany conflict become daily more disastrous to Britain. At the same time British public opinion is divided; there are those who believe the wise course is to fight German evasion alongside the French, and there are those, more numerous, who would support Germany against what seemed to them exorbitant French demands.

The German believes that British necessity will force British statesmanship to save him, in the end, that is, to enable him to evade successfully. The Englishman feels increasingly that France is ruining England to save himself, while the Frenchman asserts that if Bonar Law would back up Poincare, then Germany would perforce surrender at discretion.

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In this deadlock the German and the Englishman turn with obvious longing toward Washington. The German believes that the combination of political and economic influences will force the United States to stand with Germany and thus insure German evasion. The Briton feels that these same influences will lead the United States to stand with Great Britain in preventing an economic debacle.

But the Frenchman is not eager to have America intervene because he quite justly perceives that American interests are not his, that if we did intervene we should endeavor to break his strangle hold upon the Germans and to promote reduction of German payments without consenting ourselves to reduction of allied debts. And any such adjustment would leave France bankrupt and at the same time, following evacuation of German territory, exposed to a new attack.

So America is not going to have any invitation from France, no Macedonian cry will originate in Paris. All the French ask is to be let alone. They may get reparations, they will eventually get some coal, enough for their own needs, even if Germany starves, but the outstanding fact is that as long as the French hold the Ruhr and the Poles continue in possession of the Upper Silesian fields, Germany cannot make another war, for wars are made by coal and iron primarily, not by men

If we had ratified the treaty of Versailles and the treaty of guarantee, France would have listened to American advice, we should have had a position from which to speak of right. But we ratified neither and actually made a separate treaty with Germany. We had the right to do it; France does not criticize, but in exerting this right we surrendered the other, which was the right of any ally to talk as an ally. We got out, as we had a right to get out, but we are out and there is an end of it.

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Now, unless she surrenders, Germany is going to be smashed. She is going to be smashed as no nation has been in modern history. It may take weeks, it may take months, it cannot take years. Germany may use her exiguous gold reserve to buy food and avoid famine this year. But she cannot produce new wealth, her whole industrial system must very quickly come to a dead halt and then it is only a question of how long her capital will last.

It is all just like a siege, when the investment is complete then the problem is the length of time the food supply will last. Of course Germany can make sorties, just as Paris did in 1871. But sorties are always more expensive for the garrison than for the besieger and they invariably result in a loss of morale for the defender. Nor can any sortie increase the food supply.

Germany can try fighting, guerilla warfare, if she chooses. I am inclined to think such fighting cannot be permanently avoided, but this means only an increase in the destruction of German property and the probable reduction of the Ruhr to the condition of the Lens district. It would also probably involve a Polish offensive in the east and the occupation of Breslau as well as the balance of Upper Silesia and it might provoke a Czech offensive to Dresden and Leipzig. But even if Germany passes from passive to active resistance the fighting will be on German soil, the destruction will be German and if, in the end, the French troops were pushed across the Rhine, they will leave Germany industrially ruined.

Would the destruction of the Ruhr be wanton? No, it would be merely a normal military operation, for it is recognized that armies must in retreating destroy everything which aids their foe in prosecuting war, and the Ruhr is Germany's arsenal, the machine shop in which all her wars must be manufactured.

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I wish I could make clear to my readers that we are far and away beyond the time when the question of reparations has much pertinence. We are witnessing an actual war, the clash of two wills and the conflict of two races. France will stay in the Ruhr now until she is driven out, whatever the German proposals, because while she is in the Ruhr Germany cannot make war.

At some distant time, if Germany surrendered now, if she met French terms, if the German industrialists agreed to work to pay for French devastations and to abandon their policy of boycotting French iron when the terms of surrender had been substantially fulfilled and when German designs for revenge were patently abandoned, France might consent to retire from the Ruhr, but who really believes now that such a time is even perceptible in the extreme distance?

Failing such an adjustment France will stay anyway. She will stay because retirement means war. Yesterday not a few Frenchmen may have doubted the wisdom of the Ruhr operation, they may doubt it even more strongly today, but very few Frenchmen fail to recognize that the Ruhr operation having been undertaken, the whole situation has been transformed and that retirement would be fatal to France, if retirement were made in advance of complete German submission and convincing German performance.

So, I firmly believe that in the end—and in no distant time, within a year at the very longest—Germany is going to be completely smashed. She is going to be broken because sixty millions of Germans cannot feed themselves on German soil, save as they can manufacture and sell abroad and buy food with the proceeds of these sales. And somewhere in this process of destruction, despair, if nothing less, will drive the German to take up arms, thus, as I see it, hastening his own ruin, by further reducing his capacity to feed himself.

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It may be that France will be destroyed in the struggle, but most Frenchmen believe France will be destroyed in any event, if she now fails to put every last energy into the effort she is making. It is certain that Great Britain will suffer, perhaps almost as much as Germany economically, for in the end the struggle is bound to bring down all the European markets, but this circumstance has very little to do with the real probabilities.

France won't stay her hand because Britain protests or suffers, for the French view the thing as a fight for self preservation. Nor will France desist because from across the ocean this government of ours uttered admonitions or appeals to moral precepts. The French believe that the duty of America and Britain is to support them and not only that if we did Germany would now surrender, but also that had we stood with France consistently, Germany would never have resisted.

We and the British can't have it both ways, we can't refuse responsibilities for French safety and solvency and at the same time restrict France in taking alone such precautions as she sees fit to take. We have chosen to get out and avoid all responsibilities, we are out, we can't get back save as we change our whole policy and our whole attitude. The same is true for the British with the additional circumstance that while the French are not bitter at the United States they are bitter at Great Britain, do feel they were "let down" and are in no mood to take British advice to their own disadvantage.

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Proposals for a new international court to prevent war are no less than childish at the present moment, when all over Europe war is going on in one form or another, because there is no human way of reconciling the conflicting interests of great and small peoples. Could an international court make Germany pay what she should pay? Could it prevent Germany from attacking France when the league of nations cannot keep the Lithuanians and the Poles apart? I have never believed much in the league of nations in emergencies like the present but not because it did not seem at least as good as any other international device to prevent conflict.

Germany would rather fight France than pay her; payment, however just—and I think it is just; would mean economic servitude for innumerable years. France would rather fight Germany now than accept bankruptcy and ultimate ruin. No intervention can be worth anything which does not undertake to insure German payment and French security, but that merely transfers responsibility for pressure upon Germany from France to the intervening powers and no American or British government could raise armies to coerce Germany into paying France.

After all, then, Germany is going to be ruined unless, A. There is successful intervention; B. Germany surrenders; C. France retires. There is no present prospect of successful intervention. Germany shows no sign of surrendering and French retirement is absolutely out of the question. Moreover, as I have said, even if Germany surrendered, her bona fides would be hard to establish and therefore some form of occupation would certainly continue, unless after German surrender international intervention could find a way to guarantee German performance and good behavior, which is almost incredible.

Great Britain can withdraw her troops, as a gesture of disapprobation. She can protest French acts, but even if she does these things the effect might be to encourage German resistance which must in turn only provoke French counter measures. Thus the effect of what was meant to discourage French action might be to promote still more drastic action and even more considerable economic disturbance. She can, of course, make war on France to save Germany but again, laying aside every other consideration, this would only be to insure complete economic turmoil and an incalculable expansion of British debt and British taxes.

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America can protest, but while our protest will encourage German resistance it would not promote French retirement, because for nine out of ten Frenchmen the war now being waged is for the existence of France. An international conference might have been of some small avail before the Ruhr occupation, although that is extremely doubtful, but there is nothing to confer about now and no one willing to make any suggestion which could have a bearing.

As I see it, we have reached a complete impasse and in all human probability the world will be condemned to sit idly by while two great nations fight to the death in a war from which neither can emerge as a victor in the old sense and in which not only may both be ruined but the rest of the world suffer immeasureably. Only a German surrender can, in the present situation, offer the slightest basis for readjustment—but of this surrender there is as yet small promise.

Meantime, even if the siege of Germany were raised tomorrow the effects would last long and European reconstruction would have been set back almost incalculably, while if it continues another six weeks, no man can appraise the consequences even if actual hostilities are escaped.

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Underlying all else, however, is the fact which I wish I could make plain to my readers. France is going to stay in the Ruhr until Germany meets her will or the rest of the world goes bail for German payment and French security. Every thought of international intervention must accept this as the single point of departure. The rejection of the Paris treaties by the United States, their virtual repudiation by the British, their formal evasion by Germany have combined to shape French policy, French purpose and the public opinion of the French people themselves.

You may sympathize with France as I do, you may condemn her as many do, but neither sympathy nor condemnation affect the facts. Once convince the mass of the French people that the existence of France is at stake and no miracle is too impossible for them to perform, as their history has frequently demonstrated. And what has happened before and since the entrance into the Ruhr has once more roused the spirit which shone before at Valmy and at the Marne and found final expression at Verdun.

After all, the fact is that France incontestibly has the power; Europe lies at her feet as never since Napoleon fell, but she has also the consciousness that this power is transitory and must be used before it passes. How to prevent France from using the power while meeting her own view of her present difficulties and her future dangers, this is the problem which has so far over-passed the abilities of the statesmanship of Britain and the United States, who alone might conceivably influence French action.

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So far Great Britain has seen only her own interests and America has stood faithful to her tradition of isolation, while both countries have remained convinced that in some fashion the moral influence of mankind would restrain the French, assuming that the moral influence would have the same aspect in France and out of it and that this moral influence was identical with the personal interests of Britain and America. Here lies the explanation of all that has happened.

Nationally all democracies accept the principle that the will of the few must yield to that of the many, but internationally this principle can only be applied by force, which means by war. If interests of one country diverge from those of its neighbors, then it will still remain faithful to its own conception of its rights and interests, it will remain impervious to external arguments and unaffected by the so-called moral influences which operate parallel with the personal interests of these neighbors.

Conferences fail and must fail, when nations come to them to defend national interests, when failure of the conferences seems a lesser evil than the abandonment of fundamental policies. There is no compromise possible between British and French points of view because France is willing to see Germany destroyed if Germany does not pay, while the British want Germany saved, even if she escapes payment. No entente is possible between Britain and France, because the interests of the two are not only divergent but at a point actually antagonistic.

Mr. Wilson was right at Paris when he argued that the only way to get peace in the world was contractually to guarantee France against Germany. He was wrong, however, in believing that even to get peace America would undertake such a guaranteee. But his fellow countrymen in rejecting his treaty have been long in perceiving that the consequence would be the prolongation of war not the achieving of peace. We could not both reject the treaty and enjoy the benefits incident to world peace and consequent prosperity.

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We and the British wanted peace without being willing to pay the minimum price for it. We have maintained that peace was our right and any disturbance of peace wicked and immoral. In this we may have had justice on our side, but we have not obtained peace nor are we in a fair way to obtain it. We have paid and we shall pay perhaps even more extensively for isolation in terms of restricted exports. The rest to us is tolerable, but to the British it threatens to prove prohibitive. Our distress may be eventual but the British is immediate, that is why British opinion is on the whole much more crystalized than ours.

Europe is visibly on fire and seemingly in a fair way to be consumed. We shall survive, it will be expensive to share in extinguishing the flames, it may even be a bit risky, on the other hand we shall have losses, since eventually those who are burned out will be unable to take our goods. The evaluation of the two possible costs must determine national policy.

But the main trouble lies in the fact that there has been and there remains a general belief that we can do nothing and thereby accomplish something, that we can show Europe the true road to salvation without running a single risk, ourselves, that there is somewhere some all powerful moral force, which once invoked by international conference or otherwise, will avail to cure all, accomodate all, end all. And this faith survives all the rude shocks of recent times and explains much of American public opinion.

Today we are in the presence of a war just as real as that of 1914-18 and well nigh certain to involve just as much human suffering in the end. Passions are running quite as high. In this conflict too Europe is visibly sinking, the whole economic, if not the political structure of the continent is crumbling, no country and no people can hope to escape some suffering in consequence of what is taking place but so far as the eye can see there is no remedy and no escape and the final catastrophe is just as inevitable as it was in the days between the Austrian ultimatum and the order for mobilization in July, 1914.

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THUGS TAKE WARNING, LEAVE HIS TROUSERS

KANSAS CITY, Mo.— "Don't go too far. I might lose my temper." A. H. Conner warned three men who robbed him of $50, his overcoat and street coat. He was allowed to keep his trousers.

OGEMA SHIPPERS ORGANIZE

OGEMA, Wis.—The Co-operative Shipping association of Ogema has been revived. The former officers, Nels Nelson, president; S. J. Hohenson, vice president, and Oscar W. Johnson, secretary, have been instructed to file the necessary papers with the secretary of state and call a meeting in June. Financially the association is in good condition.

$32,671 INHERITANCE TAX

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Executors of the estate of Thomas Joannes, who died a year ago, have paid an inheritance tax of $32,671.11. Of this, $24,081.23 went to the state and $8,589.09 to the federal government.

TURKEY RUNS HER WARS WITH GREAT EYE FOR ECONOMY

Least Bankrupt of Any Nation Taking Part in World War, it is Said

TOTAL MILITARY DEBTS ARE SAID NOT TO EXCEED $1,000,000,000

War Expenses Most Amazing Thing in History of War Finance

PARIS.—Turkey is the least bankrupt of any nation that has taken an active part in the world war, according to information reaching here, not excepting England or France. The chief reason is that apparently she has conducted her wars since 1914 with the strictest economy. The present Angora or nationalist government, which has been fighting the Greeks and holding off the allied powers since 1919 has resisted the temptation to print up any new money.

The total pre-war and war debt of Turkey, including the charges that may be set against her at Lausanne or in any treaty of peace to pay damages to foreign nationals, is estimated to run barely above $1,000,000,000. This sum is regarded as ridiculously low when it is remembered that, by way of comparison, France owes the United States a war debt of $3,400,000,000, and Germany owes the allies approximately $34,000,000,000.

Outside Interest

From a European point of view the interest in Turkey is partly political, especially in war times, and largely financial in peace times. American interest also has been directed toward Turkey in the past few years with her tobacco crops, if nothing else, being bought up by American firms.

An analysis of Turkey's finances shows she became bankrupt in 1874, after foolish sultans and their corrupt ministers had contracted unproductive foreign loans. In 1881 Abdul Hamid, in order to satisfy these loans, turned over the salt and other monopolies to an institution known as the public debt, to be directed by foreigners until their debts should be paid.

Debts

In one way or another Turkey owed abroad in 1914, 185,000,000 Turkish pounds. This unit had a pre-war value of $4.46. Also she had a funded debt of 152,000,000 Turkish pounds. Of the foreign debt, roughly the equivalent of $800,000,000, France held 60 per cent, Germany 21 per cent, and Great Britain, Holland and Belgium, about 19 per cent.

Turkey's war debt expenses have ben described as "the most amazing thing in the history of world finance." She ran her war on a shoestring. When the army needed anything, it seemed to have been either requisitioned from the civil population, or else the army simply went without it. And this army often numbered 1,000,000 men. In 1915, there was one internal loan of 18,000,000 Turkish pounds (about $70,000,000 at the exchange of that time). Then there was a paper money issue of 154,581,400 Turkish pounds, secured by German government treasury bonds, payable 15 years after the war. Certain supplies in limited quantities were bought in Germany.

These figures have a distinct bearing on the future for those Americans, or others, who wish to live or do business in Turkey.

Bright Future

According to one American financial expert who has travelled all through Turkey, as rarely do the majority of foreign visitors, if Turkey secures a stable political government and if she frees herself from foreign control, there is no reason why she cannot intensify her agriculture and prosper.

Strange as it may seem to the casual observer of the course of post-war nations, this expert asserted that Turkey needs but little foreign money or loans. Hers is a problem rather of a sound domestic policy; encouraging the creation of domestic capital through better banks; the opportunity for proper land mortgages, and progressive agriculture.

Many Americans in Europe are watching keenly the trend of politics leading to a peace with Turkey. If new Turkey gets the peace she demands, and if the Angora men of the steady sort, such as Mustapha Kemal Pasha and General Ismet Pasha, keep control, it is believed Americans will do better in Turkey than any other nationality. These Turks take the point of view that those who are not for them are against them, and they have been made to feel, during the four years that Admiral Mark L. Bristol has been United States high commissioner in Constantinople, that they were not friendless when dealing with Americans.

The Turks of Angora have repeated'y declared they understood clearly their future prosperity depended on agriculture, on the surface of the land, and the application of modern farming methods. There are mines and forests in Asia Minor of considerable prospective value but these they feel can wait.

Hunts Big Game With Bow and Arrow

A mountain lion killed with a bow and arrow in the highlands of Humboldt county, California, has been added to his trophies by Captain Cassius H. Styles, of South Hero, Vermont, an army air service officer. Captain Styles is one of the few archer hunters in the country. He makes his own weapons.

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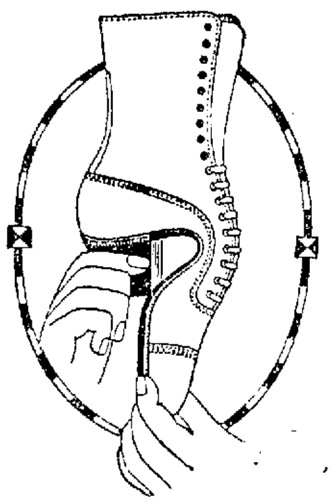

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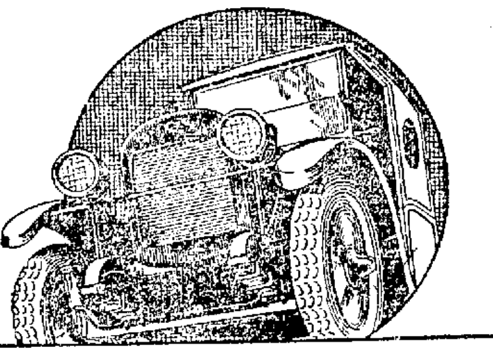

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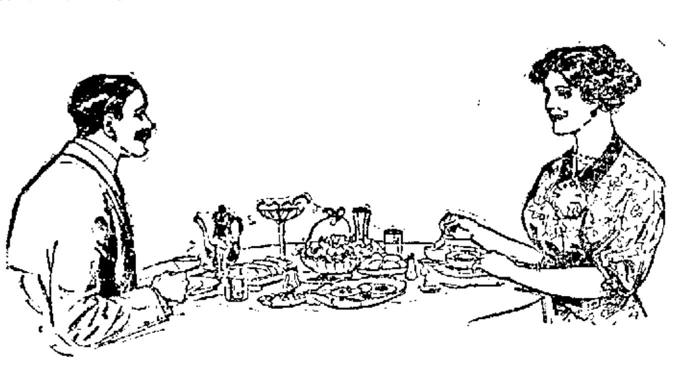

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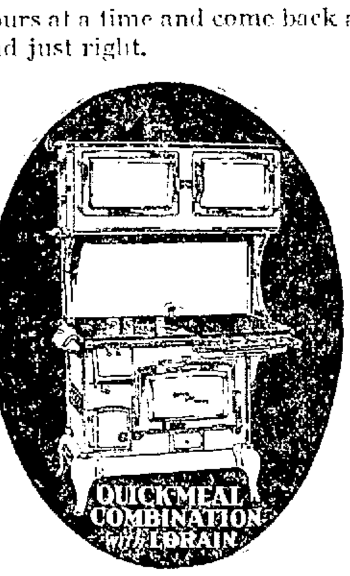

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A special program is being arranged for the "Promotion Service" for Girl Reserves at the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday evening at 7:30, under the direction of Miss Leona J. Reinhard, when chevrons will be awarded those earning the required number of "honors." Diplomas designating Girl Reserves of the Fourth, Third, Second and First ranks will be given those earning chevrons.

The Ukelele clubs will not meet Wednesday evening.

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Eight new members were initiated Monday by Girl Reserves of the Hogan school, under the direction of Miss Mabel Scheide, adviser. The girls taken in are: Vera Renner, Leona Staum, Jeanette Bristow, Lois Branson, Ruth Wehnke, Olga Tisley, Solveig Forseth, Bernice Haugen.

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Washington Girl Reserves, under the direction of Misses Clara Ballhorn and Helen Uhl, conducted a recognition service Tuesday afternoon in honor of three new members, Thelma Kletcka, Geraldine Brodhead and Laura Peterson.

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Vocational Girl Reserves enjoyed a sleigh-ride party to Onalaska Monday evening, accompanied by Advisers Myrtle Moe and Elona Dugdale. In the party were Julia Jiracek, Alvina Roubik, Dorothy McCabe, Bernice Weber, Edith Kagel, Agnes Betz, Emily Maurer, Lilah Lee, Leona Fass and Leona Werth.

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May Goldsmith of the Junior club, was elected captain of the Girl Reserve High School basketball team following practice Wednesday afternoon. Others on the squad are Leona Stannard, Muriel Schneeberger, Janet Atkinson and Marjorie Niebuhr of the Senior club, and Fern Tausche, Ethel Johns, Eleanor Weisbecker and Florence Hayek, of the Junior group.

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Members of the cabinet entertained Senior High School Girl Reserves at a Washington party following the business meeting of the club Wednesday afternoon. Oyster stew, chocolate and cake were served at small tables in the gymnasium club rooms, patriotic decorations prevailing.

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A colonial tea party was given at the Y. W. C. A. Saturday afternoon by Logan Junior High Girl Reserves, with members appearing in colonial costume. An interesting program was given by club members, followed by games in the gymnasium and refreshments. The program was as follows:

Reports of High School Girl Reserve conference at Milwaukee—Muriel Cotton and Ella Welking.

Piano solo—Elizabeth Luckason.

Original play, "A Colonial Sewing Bee," written by Opal Schroeder.

Characters—

Mrs. Washington—Dorothea Graham.

Mrs. Barnabus—Eleanor Redlin.

Mrs. Livingston—Frieda Schnick.

Mrs. Lizz—Opal Schroeder.

Song, "Poor Lizz," by the caste.

Piano solo—Gladys Nutting.

Dance—Agnes Saley and Mabel Graff.

WINONA OLD SETTLERS MEET

WINONA, Minn. — Six hundred persons attended the annual reunion and banquet of the Winona County Old Settlers association here Thursday. Addresses were made by H. L. Buck, former postmaster and president of the association, and Rev. W. A. Lee, pastor of the First Congregational church. The association has a membership of 828.

DAIRY FIRM REORGANIZES

SHEBOYGAN, Wis. — Announcement of the election of new officers of the Sheboygan Dairy Products company discloses that E. C. and P. H. Peacock of the Peacock Cheese company have withdrawn from the company. M. G. Douma, treasurer and general manager was elected president to succeed E. C. Peacock.

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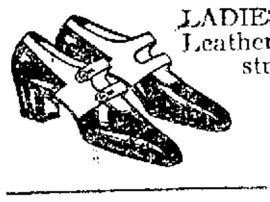

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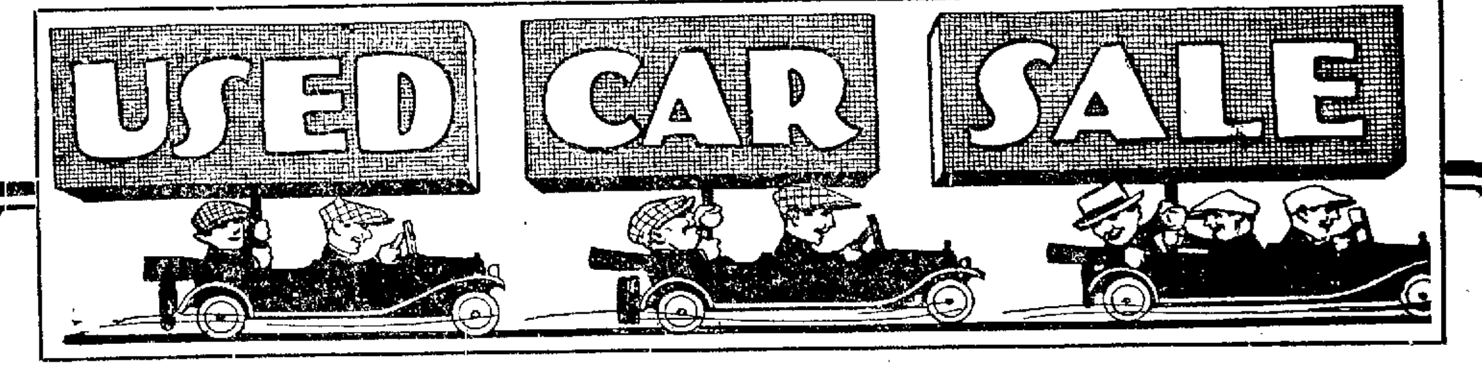

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Plan Precinct Organization on N-P Model

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Stabilization of farm product prices is the primary purpose of a new farm organization, the launching of which, with A. C. Townley, former president of the National Nonpartisan league, as its head, was announced here Saturday.

The new organization, for which a nation-wide scope is planned, is named the National Producers' Alliance, and was formed by a group of seventy-five farmers from twelve states at a meeting Friday night. Under the new organization, prices of farm products would be stabilized through voluntary co-operative control of acreage and dissemination of price and market information and advice.

What it Plans

The alliance, the announcement says, proposes to:

Organize the farmers into precinct units in an extensive organization plan similar to that which made the Nonpartisan league unique;

Cause farmers to keep accurate accounts as to crop acreage and costs, with quarterly meetings of precinct units to compare costs of individual farmers and make reports to a general headquarters on the acreage and cost of production of each crop area;

Establish a central bureau to compile statistics thus gathered, study market and price conditions and issue periodical information and advise members as to acreage to plant and the favorable time for marketing.

Displacement of the Nonpartisan league, Mr. Townley said, is not contemplated by the new organization, which he characterized as "nonpolitical and nonpartisan and will take no hand in politics."

The Nonpartisan league will continue as the "political arm of the farmers," he said.

Start in Minnesota

Organization of the alliance will be started in Minnesota and North and South Dakota at once, Mr. Townley declared.

Articles of the association it was announced provide for an initiation fee of $4 with quarterly dues thereafter of $1 for each member, and calls for a county conference of precinct unit delegates once a year and a yearly district conference consisting of delegates from each county conference.

States represented at the meeting were North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, Illinois, Montana, Arkansas, Idaho and Colorado. One member of the organization from each of these states comprise the national committee of the alliance.

MRS. HARDING ABLE TO RECEIVE GUESTS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Mrs. Harding, the wife of the president, has made such progress in her recuperation from the severe illness of last year that today she received informally at tea a group of more than thirty women in her private drawing-room at the White House. The guests with one or two exceptions, were newspaper or magazine writers. Mrs. Harding walked unaided, even briskly, but soon seated herself. It was apparent to her guests that Mrs. Harding could not be expected for some time to enter upon any round of formal social duties.

HA! NEW CHECKER CHAMP!

JAMESTOWN, N. D.—John Meyer of Pingaree, late Saturday night wrested from Anders Bjorkness of Park River, the title of checker champion of North Dakota. The latter won the championship last year from Meyer.

OBITUARY

CLARA BENTLEY STEVENS

Mrs. Clara Bentley Stevens of Minneapolis died at her home Friday, February 16, and was buried the following Tuesday. She was a sister of Mrs. A. S. Peregrine, 520 Cass street, this city. She is also survived by three brothers, Edwin E. Bentley of White Salmon, Wash., and Charles and Will Bentley of Chicago. Her immediate family surviving includes a daughter, May, and son, Arthur of Minneapolis, and son, Eugene, of Chicago.

MRS. AUGUSTA C. PETERSON

Mrs. Augusta C. Peterson died Saturday afternoon at the home of her son, Abe Peterson, 1503 Prospect street. Funeral announcement later.

MRS. VALERIA SIKASKE

Mrs. Valeria Sikaske, a former resident of the city, died in Milwaukee Friday, February 23, at the age of 68 years. The remains were brought to this city for burial.

Mrs. Sikaske resided in Milwaukee for the past six years, previous to which time she had lived for thirty-two years in La Crosse.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. J. Riesmayer, Milwaukee, and four sons, Julius and Frank of St. Paul, Michael of Madison and Anton of La Crosse.

The funeral will be held at 8:30 Monday morning from the Fessler funeral chapel and at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's cathedral, Rev. Peter Pape officiating. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

ZOELLNER QUARTETTE WILL PLAY HERE AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL

One of the most enjoyable events taking place this season will be the concert of the famous Zoellner Quartette on Saturday March 3rd, at the Normal school auditorium.

The Zoellner quartette is an organization known throughout the country in music circles. It has an international reputation for ensemble work and artistic interpretation of chamber music. That intimacy of thought and ideals which is so integral a part of performing chamber music is exemplified by this organization to the very highest degree of artistic attainment.

The Zoellners have played extensively in America and Europe. Their wonderful work in Brussels so enthused the mother of the present king of Belgium that she had a special silver medal made for the Zoellner quartette which was presented to them after one of their many concerts at the Royal residence. No other quartette touring America possesses this distinction.

Their Hands Are Insured

Professional musicians place high value on their hands, as indicated by the amount of insurance they carry against accident. Miss Antoinette Zoellner, the violinist of the Zoellner quartette caries a policy of $10,000 on each of her hands. Her brother, Amandus, who also plays the violin, carries a similar amount, as do the other members of the quartette. This is a comparatively small sum, considering their earning capacity.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS PLAN A JOINT CONVENTION

La Crosse Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are planning to entertain between 600 and 700 delegates to the joint annual district convention of the two orders in this city on February 27. The meetings will be held in the Odd Fellows temple, South Fourth street. Delegates will attend the convention from Sparta, Viroqua, Tomah and Fountain City. New district officers will be elected.

MISSING AVIATORS BURIED IN SANDS SEARCHERS BELIEVE

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Belief that Colonel Francis Marshall and Lieutenant Charles Webber, missing since December 1, crashed in their airplane in the desert wastes southeast of the Growler mountains in Arizona and that their bodies and the plane were buried by the shifting sands, was expressed Saturday by the searching party headed by Major Theodore MacAuley.

DENIES CRITICISM OF WIDOW OF M'SWINEY

PORTLAND, Ore.—By the Associated Press.—Complete denial of a Dublin report that she had written a letter criticising activities of Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, was made Saturday by Mrs. Hanna Sheehy Skeffington, who is here heading a mission to raise funds for the relief of dependents of prisoners held in Ireland by the Free State government.

"This is a fake," said Mrs. Skeffington, when shown the dispatch. "It is an old trick of the British to say they find documents and to publish fake correspondence to create divisions among workers opposed to the Free State government. I am much too old a hand to get caught at captured correspondence. I have a code which I use in all communications."

Mrs. Skeffington announced that she had received a message that her home in Ireland had been burned.

WELLESLEY MAY-DAY SCRUBBING BANNED

WELLESLEY, Mass.—The Queen of the May at Wellesley college and her fair subjects will be scrubwomen, no more. The senior class decided Saturday to omit from the exercises on May-day, which have been governed by customs of long standing, that part in which the young women scrubbed the steps of College Hall or the chapel. It was agreed that the scrubbing ceremony had lost most of its significance in the burning of College Hall some years ago.

The senior class announced the election of Mary Ives of Delphi, Indiana, as Tree Day mistress. Mary Hackney, Milwaukee, will be among her aides.

DENIES NEW TRIAL; KNEESKERN GETS LIFE

CHARLES CITY, Iowa.—Judge C. H. Kelley of the Floyd county district court Saturday overruled the motion for a new trial for B. F. Kneeskern, twice convicted of the slaying of Mrs. Irene Van Brocklin, who, with her husband, Charles, were killed in their cabin on the Kneeskern farm near Frankville, in December, 1921.

Upon over-ruling the motion for a new trial Judge Kelley sentenced Kneeskern to life imprisonment as recommended by the jury.

THE BLIZZARDY GIRL

The blizzardy girl,
Nice blizzardy girl,
Wanted to get out
And mix in the whirl.

But she looked through the frost
And counted the cost:
Frozen nose,
Bitten toes,
Frosted cheeks
Sore for weeks,
Nipped ears
Hurt for years—

She kept out of the strife,
And saved much of her life.
The blizzardy girl,
Nice blizzardy girl.

—C. W. D.

HEALTH CENTER AT HOLMEN OPEN ON NEXT TUESDAY

Miss Mary Regan, county nurse, announced Saturday that the County Maternity and Infant Health Center at Holmen will be open Tuesday, February 27. Dr. Blanche Horner Rivers will again be present and will make complete physical examinations and give instructions to expectant mothers on the care of themselves and advice to mothers on the care of babies and children who are below school age.

Miss Regan pointed out that this is a county center, and all mothers who are included under any of the classes mentioned are urged to make all efforts to be present, and to bring their children. The Holmen Homemakers' club will be in charge. The center will remain open until all are cared for.

PLAN STANDARDIZED WAGES FOR CLERKS IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A compromise bill to standardize salaries of government employes was reported Saturday by the senate appropriations committee, after conferences between President Harding and Senators Smoot, republican of Utah, and Sterling, republican of South Dakota, and was referred to the senate civil service committee, of which Senator Sterling is chairman, with enactment planned before congress adjourns.

As reported the bill would affect immediately only the pay of government employes in the District of Columbia and provide generally for salary increases in lieu of the present war bonus, which would be abolished July 1. For federal employes outside the district the bill would provide a survey of salaries, with a view to future adjustment by a salary classification board. A new principal of the bill is a provision for equal pay for male and female employes.

U. S. OWNERSHIP IF RAILROAD SUPPORT IS NOT RENDERED

DES MOINES, Ia.—The American people must face the proposition of giving railroads sufficient support to enable them to continue under private ownership or accept government ownership as the alternative, James C. Davis, director general of railroads, declared in a speech before the Prairie club here Saturday.

He said that in his judgment no greater mistake or more expensive experiment could be undertaken than to have the government permanently take over and operate the railroads. Nevertheless, he declared, private ownership is making its last stand.

GLENNA PAIRED WITH BRITISHER WINS GOLF MATCH

TAMPA, Fla.—Miss Glenna Collett, national women's golf champion paired with Captain E. F. Carter, British golfer Saturday defeated Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, former national champion, who was paired with Jim Thomson, professional at the Temple Terrace club, where the match was played, by a score of two up.

SPRING SIGNS BUNK, PROFESSOR'S VERDICT

MADISON, Wis. The shadowless groundhog, the green frog, the robins, the geese flying north, all must hang their heads in shame and retire. As signs of spring they are "the bunk," says George Wagner, associate professor of biology at the University of Wisconsin.

"Their presence as harbingers of spring has no foundation in science," Professor Wagner says. "Migration of birds from one section of the country to another does not indicate a change in weather because they always move at the same time each year."

He extends his iconoclasm by declaring that all signs except spring itself—by which the layman has been predicting the growing season are smashed by present day research into weather conditions.

2,800 FEET IN HUGE LOAD OF BASSWOOD

WITTENBERG, Wis.—One of the largest loads of logs seen in Wittenberg in a number of years was hauled here from a camp in the town of Germany. The load comprised fourteen basswood logs and scaled a little more than 2,800 feet. It was hauled by one team. Edward Shoepke was the teamster.

$15,000 FARM FIRE

FAIRMONT, Minn.—Fire discovered in the barn on the farm of Adolph Kiester, four miles north of Fairmont early Saturday destroyed the barn, a granary and their contents, and incurred a loss of approximately $15,000. Eighteen head of pure bred Holstein cows, a registered sire and ten horses were burned to death.

FIX JACOBS TRIAL

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Dr. Louis L. Jacobs, Camp Kearney hospital physician, held at the county jail on a grand jury indictment charging him with the murder of Fritzi Mann, dancer, about a month ago, will be put on trial between March 21 and March 26, the district attorney's office announced Saturday.

KIRBY HOUSE BURNS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The Kirby House, an old landmark and at one time one of the best known hotels in the state, was gutted by fire Saturday night.

To Keep Cheese

To prevent cheese from becoming dry or mouldy wrap it in a cloth damped with vinegar and keep in a covered box.

MUTUAL BUILDING, LOAN ASSOCIATION AMENDS ARTICLES

The La Crosse Mutual Loan & Building association has filed amended articles of incorporation, with Register of Deeds Wachs, in which they have amended the article of capital stock to read that the capital stock of the association shall be $2,000,000, consisting of 40,000 shares at $50 each.

RESERVATIONS TO AVOID "TANGLING" WITH LEAGUE

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or two. Some disclosed plain evidences of hostility in private conversation and declared that such an important step in American foreign relations could not be taken, in any case, in the short time remaining before the end of the session.

In his letter accompanying the president's message Secretary Hughes recalled the traditional stand taken by the United States for arbitration of international disputes, pointed out that Elihu Root advised with the league representatives and others in bringing the court into existence, called attention that another distinguished American jurist, John Bassett Moore, already has accepted a place as one of the judges on the new tribunal, and declared that with the reservations suggested the United States could accept membership without deviation from recognized American principles.

"The court," Secretary Hughes wrote, "is an establishment separate from the league, having a distinct legal status. It is organized and acts in accordance with judicial standards and its decisions are not controlled or subject to review by the league of nations."

The president's message follows:

"There has been established at the Hague a permanent court of international justice for the trial and decision of international causes by judicial methods, now effective through the ratification by the signatory powers of a special protocol. It is organized and functioning. The United States is a competent suitor in the court, through provision of the statute creating it, but that relation is not sufficient for a nation long committed to the peaceful settlement of international controversies. Indeed, our nation had a conspicuous place in the advocacy of such an agency of peace and international adjustment, and our deliberate public opinion of today is overwhelmingly in favor of our full participation, and the attending obligations of maintenance and the furtherance of its prestige. It is for this reason that I am now asking for the consent of the senate to our adhesion to the protocol.

"With this request I am sending to the senate a copy of the letter addressed to me by the secretary of state, in which he presents in detail the history of the establishment of the court, takes note of the objection to our adherence because of the court's organization under the auspices of the league of nations, and its relation thereto, and indicates how, with certain reservations, we may fully adhere and participate, and remain wholly free from any legal relation to the league or assumption of obligation under the covenant of the league.

"I forbear repeating the presentation made by the secretary of state, but there is one phase of the matter not covered in his letter with which I choose frankly to acquaint the senate. For a long period, indeed, ever since the international conference on the limitation of armament, the consideration of a plan under which we might adhere to the protocol has been under way. We were unwilling to adhere unless we could participate in the selection of judges. We could not hope to participate with an American accord if adherence involved any legal relation to the league. These conditions, there is good reason to believe, will be acceptable to the signatory powers, though nothing definitely can be done until the United States tenders adhesion with these reservations. Manifestly the executive cannot make this tender until the senate has spoken its approval. Therefore, I most earnestly urge your favorable advice and consent. I would rejoice if some action could be taken, even in the short period which remains of the present session.

"It is not a new problem in international relationship, it is wholly a question of accepting an established institution of high character, and making it effective all the fine things which have been said by us in favor of such an agency of advanced civilization. It would be well worth the while of the senate to make such a special effort as is becoming to record its approval. Such action would add to our own consciousness of participation in the fortunate advancement of international relationship, and remind the world anew that we are ready for our proper part in furthering peace and adding to stability in world affairs.

The Reservations

"The reservations recommended follow:

"I. That such adhesion shall not be taken to involve any legal relation on the part of the United States to the league of nations or the assumption of any obligations by the United States under the covenant of the league of nations constituting Part 1 of the treaty of Versailles.

"II. That the United States shall be permitted to participate through representatives designated for the purpose and upon an equality with the other state members respectively of the council and assembly of the league of nations in any and all proceedings of either the council or the assembly for the election of judges or deputy judges of the permanent court of international justice, or for the filling of vacancies.

"III. That the United States will pay a fair share of the expenses of the court as determined and appropriated from time to time by the congress of the United States.

"IV. That the statute for the permanent court of international justice adjoined to the protocol shall not be amended without the consent of the United States."

SENATE BACKERS OF SHIPPING BILL SHOW STRENGTH IN VAIN

Have 46 to 38 Majority But Death of Measure is Assured

WASHINGTON.—Proponents of the administration shipping bill demonstrated their superior strength Saturday in the senate, but their efforts only served to pave the way for the death of the legislation on Monday.

Those supporting the measure, although openly conceding it to be doomed, defeated the opponents on two roll-calls by the identical vote of forty-six to thirty-eight. One vote was on a motion by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the acting democratic leader, to table the pending motion to proceed with consideration of the bill. The second was on the motion to proceed with the bill which motion was made Wednesday night after the measure had been laid aside to permit action on two conference reports.

Thus the shipping bill was temporarily revived, but Senator Robinson immediately presented a motion to send the bill back to the commerce committee and to its death. This motion was by agreement left pending when the senate adjourned for the day and will come to a vote soon after one o'clock Monday. Supporters of the bill expect to defeat this motion.

The end of this legislation for this congress, and for similar shipping legislation for at least two or more years then will come on a motion expected to be made by Senator Ladd, republican of North Dakota, to lay aside the bill and take up the filled milk measure. Senator Jones, republican of Washington, in charge of the shipping bill, said Saturday he would vote for the Ladd motion, and many of the republicans who voted Saturday to keep the measure alive are expected to join with him in such numbers as to pass the motion. Such action would put the shipping bill beyond possibility of further consideration before adjournment.

DIES AFTER RESCUE; 23 HOURS IN WELL

BALTIMORE, Md.—After having been imprisoned at the bottom of a well at Savage, Maryland, for twenty-three hours, Maynard Easton was extricated by firemen from Baltimore Saturday afternoon only to die several hours later. He suffered no broken bones, it was said, but pressure on his heart was too great.

THE WEEK

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expansion or locate in other states. Evidently the legislature did not take this seriously.

Favorable action on the Dahl bill is but the first step in the program. It is considered improbable that Senator Severson will fail to press his measure before the joint committee. Although not pleased with the personal property offset repeal in principle, it is said the socialists will support the Dahl bill, although they may oppose the proposed new apportionment in the division between cities and the state. Mayor Dan Hoan is leading the fight against this apportionment which he says is a fraud upon city dwellers.

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No bill thus far introduced exactly follows Governor Blaine's ideas as expressed in his message. Possibly an entirely new bill will make its appearance. If not, it is probable that some compromises will have to be effected. But one thing seems certain—whatever bill becomes law will incorporate substantial increases in income taxation.

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Resolutions to investigate "flanking" in the university, and social practices of students appeared in the legislature. There were leaders of both the conservative and progressive sides, however who were quick to assert that this sort of meddling with university routine would be promptly "Chucked."

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The state senate passed a bill adding four members each to the three educational boards—university, normal and vocational. The ostensible reason was to make way for farmers and laborers on the boards. There is a general feeling however, that something more than this is back of the legislation.

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A bill to apply eugenics to women as well as men was defeated after a tempestuous debate. An appeal for chivalry carried the day. While equal rights for women seems fully to have arrived it appears there still remain some things in which "sauce for the gander is not sauce for the goose."

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The house overwhelmingly passed a measure to abolish the national guard. From Washington Senator La Follette wired to his followers in the legislature that he favored a reduction in the expenditure of the guard but not its abolition. It is understood that this coincides with the opinion of Governor Blaine and probably it affords an accurate forecast of what will be done.

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A Moscow cable announces that Senator Borah will soon go to Russia to study conditions there. Senator Borah's transformation from an irreconcilable isolationist to a persistent meddler in foreign affairs has been rapid. His critics can hardly forego the fling, but anyway it is good to see among the bitter enders one man big enough to change his mind.

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Leon Trotzky, Russian war lord, in a speech on Tuesday said that war was a "necessity" for Russia, that every effort must be bent toward the production of more materials, and that when the Russian Red army entered Germany the Bolshevist revolution will take place. Something for the unconditional disarmament advocates to think about.

AN APPEAL

Patients of the Oak Forest Sanitorium are asking for support of their Goodfellowship club.

The patients and staff of the Oak Forest Sanitorium, upon advice of the visiting Dr. Harrington and with the approval of the superintendent, Mrs. McCartney and Dr. Lueck, launched a Goodfellowship club with the intention of relieving somewhat the lonesome and dreary days of suffering, by providing some form of recreation or entertainment; but being without means, the officers of the club appeal to the public and the different organizations of the county to lend their help.

Here is an opportunity to do something to aid the officers of the club in their endeavor to encourage many a sufferer in his or her fight for "back to family and civilization."

Any donation towards this goal could be made to Dr. Lueck, Mrs. McCartney or to the secretary of the club, W. H. Mielke.

Any appointments for entertainments can be arranged with Mr. P. C. Smevog, at the sanitorium.

ARTHUR HARRISON COMEDY PLAYERS AT THE MAJESTIC

The Majestic theatre promises its patrons the best show since Billy Maine's company was here, when Arthur Harrison's Comedy Players open an engagement tonight. The company is composed of twenty-two artists—comedians, singers, dancers and funsters. Their production is staged with gorgeous costumes beautiful scenery and a clever chorus. Besides this number, "Hoot" Gibson and Edna Murphy appear in the feature picture, "Ridin' Wild." The Harrison Comedy Players could not get to La Crosse in time for the matinee performance so the theatre offers "Ridin' Wild" and a Century comedy, "A Small Town Derby," in the afternoon.

FOOTBALL STAR IS HELD FOR MURDER

YANKTON, S. D.—George Cooley, 21, was arrested at Indianola, Ia., and charged with murder, as the result of an investigation of the death of Mrs. John Mudloff of Tabor, on January 26, according to police here. Extradition will be asked for Cooley, who was formerly a student at Yankton college, a football star, and is the son of the late State Senator J. P. Cooley of Bonhomme county.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement, the death of our daughter and sister. Especially do we thank the pallbearers, Rev. Walker, the choir and those who sent floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. THOS. SAGEAR AND FAMILY.

CASINO AND STRAND ARE TAKEN OVER BY NEW CONCERN

La Crosse Amusement Co. Buys Two Houses; A. J. Cooper is Manager

A new amusement company formed here some time ago, and known as the La Crosse Amusement company, Inc., announces the purchase of the Casino and Strand theaters heretofore operated by the Cooper Amusement company.

Mr. A. J. Cooper is the general manager of the new concern.

The company announces that only the best of pictures will be offered the theater-going public and that the Beyersteldt Brothers' orchestra has been secured as a feature for the Casino theater.

The new policy is to open the Casino at ten o'clock every morning on week days, the Sunday time of opening will remain the same. The orchestra will appear at all matinee and evening performances. Their engagement at the Casino opens with the new Harold Lloyd comedy, "Dr. Jack."

KLANSMAN CITED FOR CONTEMPT IN REFUSAL TO TESTIFY

TOPEKA, Kas.—Opening of the hearing here on the ouster petition brought by the state against the Ku Klux Klan Saturday suddenly developed into a situation as to whether the klan oath supersedes that of a witness. As a result of the refusal of H. H. Kitchen, a klan organizer, to divulge names on a membership petition, contempt of court proceedings will be started in the supreme court on Monday, according to assistant Attorney General John G. Egan, who conducted the state's side of the case.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for the expressions of sympathy, floral offerings and kindly acts of assistance extended to us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank the pallbearers and the employes of the Milwaukee railroad and roundhouse and the Wisconsin Pearl Button company for their floral offerings.

MRS. MARY HUBER, KATHERINE, ANN AND GEORGE HUBER.

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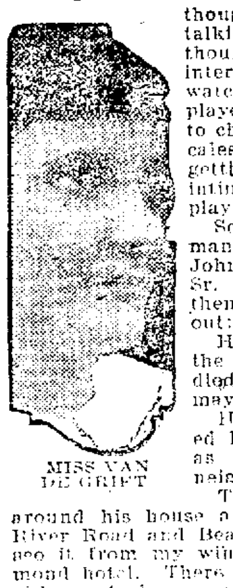
LA CROSSE TRIBUNE WRITER SPENDS WEEK WITH ROCKEFELLER ON VACATION

By JOSEPHINE VAN DE GRIFT

NEA Service Staff Writer.

ORMOND BEACH, Fla. — For a week I have been living across the street from the world's richest man; walking with him, brief strolls though they were; talking with him, though not officially interviewing him; watching him as he played golf; going to church and musicales, in his wake; getting a picture, intimately, of his playtime life.



MISS VAN DE GRIFT

So I found out many things about John D. Rockefeller Sr. Here are two of them that stand out:

He isn't exactly the guarded, coddled Croesus you may imagine.

He is being treated here in Ormond as an ordinary neighbor.

There is no fence around his house at the corner of River Road and Beach Road; I can see it from my window in the Ormond hotel. There are no guards, either. And one morning I met him at the half-light hour of six strolling along the bank of Halifax Road, unattended.

It is the stranger in Ormond who ogles him, following, pointing. The people of Ormond accept him casually as their winter neighbor, and he seems to get a lot of fun out of such association.

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I fell into step with Rockefeller on the toll bridge, after he had dug into his pocket for the nickel which Adolf d'Grom, toll-gate keeper, exacts from rich men and reporters alike.

Looking at me keenly, Rockefeller said: "Are you a reporter?"

(And foolish people say age has dimmed the eye, blunted the wits, and dulled the human intuition of this man!)

I admitted by identity and told him many things I wanted to know.

"Well," he smiled, walking along with me (there were no guards about, you must remember!), "I don't think I have anything to say about those things. Instead, won't you accept this?" (And he gave me a shining dime—and another for my mother, when I assured him I wasn't married.)

"We can be friends, can't we?" he said, "without talking about all those things."

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Those dimes! He gives them to caddies, millionaires, reporters, society ladies, photographers, gardeners, the mayor, chauffeurs, and children. Formerly he dealt in smaller coin. Youngsters here told me he used to give them each a nickel and a penny, saying: "Now the five-cent piece is for the bank and the penny is for the church."

Is this an indirect expression from John D. Rockefeller that one-sixth is the proper portion of one's wealth he believes should go to religion and charity?

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John D. hasn't got a leathery, mummy-like face. His eye is clear, and his skin on close view looks healthy. Yet he undeniably looks much older in his eighty-fourth year than Chauncey Depew in his eighty-ninth. Older, too, than General Adelbert Ames, his golf-partner here, who is 88.

Yet he doesn't take a nap in the afternoon as Depew, and many younger men, do. Often he is up before six, taking a solitary walk if the weather is good.

Breakfast is at 7:30. Usually bacon and eggs, but sometimes a chop. Then a walk in the grounds and a discussion with Head Gardener George Whitlinger about the shrubbery and the prospects for the spring flower-beds.

At ten sharp he appears on the Ormond golf course for eight holes, which he usually does in 50 strokes. He rides to the course and later meets the chauffeur at the eighth hole.

Luncheon is at one. A long automobile ride, then, and talks with guests. (Always there are guests.)

ROCKEFELLER AND HIS PALS AT ORMOND BEACH

Here you have the world's richest man, all togged out for his daily round of golf in the Florida sunshine, and beside him General Adelbert Ames, who refuses to defeat him too often, and "Bunk," his caddy, who is the daily recipient of a new dime.

At seven is dinner, to which a few congenial friends are invited. Bed at 11.

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John Yordi is the most important man around the Rockefeller menage, next to John D. himself. Yordi's title is valet. But he is more than that. He is the only known person who can pummel the world's richest man and punch his ribs with impunity.

For this Yordi is a Swiss masseur and a few years ago Rockefeller lured this treasure away from another millionaire. To his deft manipulation is attributed Rockefeller's good health of recent years.

Next to massage treatments the most important thing is clothes. Yordi prescribes these:

For golf: Gray woolen trousers, tan silk coat, paper vest, thick shoes, gray woolen cap and white cotton gloves.

For riding: Black top coat over the golf costume, and a vivid blue muffler.

For Sunday: Silk hat, Prince Albert coat, gray striped vest, striped trousers, black tie with pearl pin—and a slender cane.

For evening: Faultless evening wear, with dinner jacket.

Rockefeller does not lean on his cane when he walks. You couldn't call him feeble. The only jangling note in his resplendent church-going costume is in the brown glasses which he always wears in strong sunlight.

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The little colored caddy who enjoys the distinction of carrying Rockefeller's golf clubs and teeing for him answers to the name of "Bunk." The chauffeur pays him at the end of the game, but he always gets a shining dime as a bonus.

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The Rockefeller house sits back only a few yards from River Road, and there is shrubbery along the Beach Road side. Across River Road, down to the river, are his gardens. The house is small and so three other houses have been bought to accommodate the 20 chauffeurs, gardeners, workmen and servants.

John D. bought his winter home three years ago from a minister. There is no display in it—no wealth of tapestries, paintings, distinctive furniture.

When he took over the house he sent word to his son that he wanted an organ. A letter came asking height of ceilings, and statistics like that.

Rockefeller promptly wrote back that he didn't want a church organ, but a simple little affair on which one could grind out a tune occasionally. So such an organ was installed. It cost no more than a good piano.

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The capable John Yordi has another function besides valet and masseur. He can play the organ; hymns are his specialty.

Home concerts are frequent. Sunday mornings, of course, Mr. Rockefeller attends the little community church in Ormond and joins in the service; but each Sunday evening he walks across to the Ormond hotel lobby and listens to the orchestra. His favorite selection is the Barcarolle from "Tales of Hoffman."

At the close of those Sunday evening concerts everybody rises and joins in singing the Communion Doxology. I watched Mr. Rockefeller, and he was singing, too.

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Hostess of the Rockefeller household is Mrs. Jennie Evans, a relative of the late Mrs. Rockefeller. A favorite guest is Betty White, daughter of John White of New York; she has been here with her mother, playing golf with her aged host and getting up musicales at home.

General Ames has played golf with Rockefeller for 20 years.

Another favorite partner is E. M. Johnson, steel manufacturer of New York. Mrs. A. B. Wallace generally walks home with Rockefeller from church. And Dr. John Richmond, pastor of the community church, has a standing invitation for a visit every Monday afternoon.

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No guards, I said, surround this old man during his evening playtime of life as he courts Florida's sunny wintertime.

But there is this protection: So averse is Mr. Rockefeller to being quoted, even indirectly, on public questions that he does not discuss such subjects even with friends, and it is an unwritten rule that guests content themselves with anecdotes and small talk; best of all he likes talk of books. And after dinner they join with him in playing "Numerica," a mathematical game of which he is very fond.

Would You Change Places With the World's Richest Man?

Is being "the world's richest man" really fun? To find out NEA Service and the La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press assigned Josephine Van de Grift to go to Florida and spend a week with John D. Rockefeller, Sr. She noted among his vacation pranks and pastimes:

He likes to wander alone in the early morning.
He gives away new dimes to rich and poor alike.
He takes a daily pummeling from a masseur.
He wears brown glasses to protect his eyes from sun.
He listens to his valet play hymns on the organ.
He listens to the hotel orchestra recital every Sunday evening.
He refuses to talk with anyone about public questions.
His after-dinner diversion is playing "Numerica."
He plays golf daily and tips his pickaninny caddy a dime.

Honestly, now, if that's having a good time you don't have to be a millionaire to enjoy it, do you? What do you say?

BOY SCOUTS ARE SAVING FOR CAMP UNDER NEW SCHEME

Elaborate Preparations Made for Outing at Camp Young Bear Next Summer

For the past week, great interest has been aroused among young boys of the city in the scouts' summer camp, although camping season is six months off. The boys are being aroused to the need of saving so that when the opportunity arrives they will be prepared with sufficient funds to defray their expenses for either two or seven days at camp.

The Boy Scouts are fortunate in having one beautiful spot in La Crosse county as its camp site. Camp Young Bear, until a year ago little known except to a few, but through the persistent efforts of County Commissioner Scullin, who had visited that camp site many times before, the scout officials were induced to visit the proposed site, and one stroll through that wonderful pine grove was sufficient to conclude the search for a Boy Scout camp. Camp Young Bear is situated twenty miles north of La Crosse, on the Black river, west of the land lying along Council bay, an inlet, which affords good swimming in still water. The camp has the last of the pine trees of the county, and springs flow from the banks. The soil is sandy, affording good drainage, and pure water can be procured by the sinking of a well at moderate depth. The road to Camp Young Bear is paved to within a quarter of a mile of the camp proper, making a pleasant auto ride for those who seek the great out-of-doors for their recreation.

The camp last year was handicapped because of the lack of equipment. A great deal of expense was necessary in the organization of the Boy Scouts, office equipment, and the purchase of these necessary things exhausted the funds before the equipment for the camp was completed. This year, with additional equipment, the camp is expected to hold 480 boys in the six weeks of camping. The camp opens on June 18 and will close on the 31st day of July.

Rules of Saving Plan

No scout will be allowed to go to camp for less than one week, and any scout going to camp who has filled with stamps the camp penny saving manual will have preference over the boy who presents $5.60 in cash, or a check for the amount. This penny savings manual is a book printed and so arranged that the school savings stamps which have been used by the public schools for a number of years can be purchased and affixed to the blank spaces on the pages which comprise the book. It is hoped that through the penny saving manual boys will be taught that saving a small amount consistently makes it possible to acquire that which would be impossible, because of the seemingly large amount of money that it requires at one time.

It must be understood that no boy will be allowed at camp who has not earned and saved his own money.

The expense of camp is 80 cents a day, or $5.60 for one week.

To appease the longing for the ventures of camp, by the young boys who are not yet twelve years of age, a special arrangement has been made by which boys nine to twelve can go to camp for two days, from Friday morning until Saturday evening. No boy will be allowed to go to camp except on the presentation of a book filled with stamps.

At camp next summer, the Boy Scouts will lose their national known rank names. The tenderfoots will be known as "Fish Bait," the second class as "Wood Ticks," and the first class as "Top Notchers." The boys who visit camp from Friday morning to Saturday evening, will be called "Tag-alongs," because each young boy when he arrives at camp, will be assigned to a "Wood Tick," and the "Wood Tick" will always be with the visitor from the time he arrives at the camp, until his departure Saturday evening, going swimming with him, to mess, hiking and even sleeping in the same tent with his little "Tag-along."

Young Bear Coming

Dan Young Bear, after whom the camp is named, will be in camp, and for the period of the camp, Dan is expecting to have six of his fellow tribesmen at camp to help put over some real pow-wows for invited guests.

Efforts are being made to procure for the camp a young bear cub, besides other animals that can be loaned for the summer so as to give the scout camp a real menagerie to help the boy in his scout work.

Any boy who has not yet procured a "Tag-along" penny saving manual, which is a camp penny saving manual with four pages, can procure same by applying at the scout office, 314 Rivoli building. All scouts can procure the penny saving manual from their scoutmasters, or from the principal of the school which they attend.

MODEL CONVICT LIVES DOWN HIS HECTIC PAST

NEW YORK—Before Ernest Sorrentino went to Sing Sing for three years he had stored up against him several additional indictments. He served a full term as a model prisoner and the state has decided to forget the past offenses if Sorrentino goes straight.

Willful employers of child labor under the lawful age are usually taxed ten per cent of their year's net profit.

TWINING ALLOWED $580 OF DRY RAID EXPENSES

JEFFERSON, Wis.— Former District Attorney Ray Twining was allowed $580 for personal expenses as county prosecutor by the Jefferson county board after a warm debate. The decision of the board was based on the opinion of District Attorney Otto Kuenzli, offered in regard to the bill of Howard Russell Inc., for private detective hire, which asserted that personal expenses of the prosecutor which do not exceed $1,000 may be paid by the county board.

ALL STUDY, NO GIRLS, MAKES JACK A DULL BOY

TRENTON, N. J.—Separation of sexes in the same school building makes smokers of the girls and dullards of the boys, it was charged before the state legislature on Tuesday. During debate on the Dater bill, which would prevent segregation, it was declared that in a school at Paterson where the system was in vogue, grammar girls openly took to cigarettes and boys needed five years to complete a four-year course.

The surrendered German Zeppelin 171, has a capacity of 2,420,000 cubic feet of gas.

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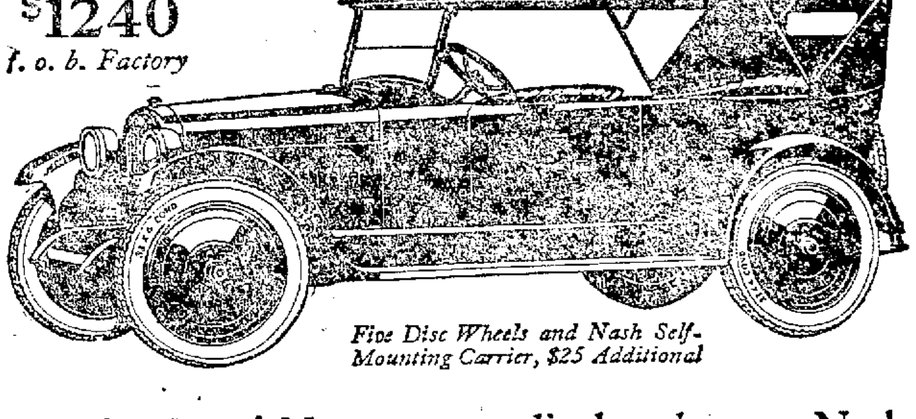

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SPARTA PLANNING BIG FATHER-SONS BANQUET MARCH 6

Lee Nolan, Dr. Beebe, Messrs. Horth, Steele, Evenson Arranging the Affair

SPARTA, Wis.—(Special.)—Plans are being rapidly made for the Fathers and Sons Banquet to be given in the Assembly hall, Tuesday evening, March 6. Mr. Lee Nolan is chairman of the general committee. Dr. S. D. Beebe will arrange the program, M. E. Steele and Leo Evenson are the decorators, Rev. F. E. Horth has charge of the publicity matter, and the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will serve the banquet supper, the price of which will be fifty cents per plate.

Chairman Nolan announces the appointment of J. O. Paulson and J. D. Stiehl as ushers. Everything points to a fine time. All fathers and sons be ready. Register at the Corner drug store.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, the Advance club had a pleasant gathering at the [illegible] home with Miss Phoebe [illegible] as hostess. The topic for study was Longfellow and the following program was arranged. Miss L[illegible] gave a very complete biography of the poet. Miss Hull discussed the poet's works under the following heads: dramatizations, translations, long narrative poems, short narrative poems, lyrics, typical selections under each head were given. This discussion was followed by a memory test of Longfellow's best known poems and a Longfellow word game. This latter part of the study was in charge of Miss Lorraine Jones. A social time followed the program and refreshments were served.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the West Primary school had a meeting in the school house Friday evening, Feb. 23. A program was given by the scholars, followed by refreshments.

Mrs. Frank Groves and Mrs. [illegible] Marquette entertained about twenty-four friends at a beautifully appointed luncheon on Thursday afternoon at the Groves home on Court street. Place cards and favors were in keeping with the day, Washington's Birthday, and many of the dainty dishes served were garnished with cherries. A silver collection was taken for the benefit of the White Cross and a neat sum was realized for this worthy cause. A delightful social time was had by all present. Mrs. Horth entertained the company with some pleasing vocal numbers.

The Alexandrian club was entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. L. H. Phillips on Water street.

Mrs. Kent Dickerson was hostess to the St. John's Guild on Friday afternoon. The Delphian Society spent a very pleasant evening at their place of meeting, the studio of Miss Small, the topic for study being the French drama. The special topic for that evening was Moliere and his writings.

Mrs. Wilmer Wright entertained a company of friends at dinner, Tuesday noon. The guests were Mrs. F. Parks, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. Charles Tourville, Mrs. Mike Bowler, Mrs. Dave Hemstock, Mrs. William Van Wendt, Mrs. N. Covy.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Evangelical church will have their regular monthly supper at the home of Mrs. William Guerney, March 1st; the following menu will be served from five o'clock until all are served—Sauerkraut and wieners, escalloped potatoes, sandwiches, pickles, ginger cookies, cream cake, pineapple salad, coffee.

The Odd Fellows had a social Friday evening for themselves and their families. The affair was a masquerade party. Dancing began at nine o'clock. Refreshments were served.

About fifteen friends of Mr. and Mrs. William Reeske drove out to their farm home in Coles Valley, Tuesday evening. A fine time was had by all.

Mrs. Herbert Melvard surprised Mr. T. C. Longwell, Tuesday evening, by giving a Stag party for him complimentary to his birthday.

Miss Ethel Hemstock was hostess to the Home Study Club at the home of her brother, Will Hemstock, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holden entertained at a Bridge party Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson entertained at five hundred Friday evening.

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock for a business session and supper will be served at five thirty until all are served. Mrs. Horth and her committee of young people have the supper in charge and have promised something out of the ordinary. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. A. I. Perron entertained the Woman's Foreign Missionary society at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The Wednesday Bridge Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. William Crosby.

Mrs. George Barlow was hostess to the Entre Nous Club Tuesday.

The Teachers-parents association of the depot primary met Thursday afternoon. The Monroe county nurse, Miss Manthey, gave a talk. Refreshments were served.

The Queen Esther circle met Tuesday with Miss Edna Hall.

Friday afternoon, Mrs. P. E. Stair entertained The Happy Hour Club.

The Coterie Club met with Mrs. W. W. Hinton on Franklin Street the past week.

Mrs. Eugene Brown will entertain the C and E club next Tuesday, Feb. 27.

The Wednesday Busy Bee Club met with Mrs. Herman Reike this week.

The Standard Bearers will have a Story Telling contest in the Auditorium of the church Tuesday evening at seven thirty o'clock after the supper. A cordial invitation is extended to all. A silver offering will be taken.

The Knights Templar had a dinner in their banquet hall, Friday evening, after which the Order of the Temple was conferred on several candidates.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spade announce the marriage of their daughter Della to Mr. Herbert Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Smith, 911 Walrath street. The marriage took place in Winona, Dec. 9. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have rooms at 605 Wolcott street.

A few friends surprised Mrs. A. Perron at her home Sunday evening. The occasion was her birthday.

The Junior Housekeepers met with Mrs. Harold Markham last week.

A troop of Junior Boy Scouts was organized at the City Hall last week.

The Rev. Frank Garvin, B. H. L., M. A., Th. D., professor of Greek at Nashotah Theological Seminary was present at St. John's Episcopal church, Friday, Feb. 23, and held a number of conferences with teachers from the La Crosse District on "The Problems of Religious Education and How To Solve Them." A very helpful and enjoyable conference was held.

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star held a most enjoyable meeting last Friday. A six o'clock dinner was served at the Hotel Sidney, in honor of Mrs. Grimshaw of Elroy, Worthy Grand Lecturer of the State of Wisconsin. The dining hall was filled with guests. Music was furnished by a four piece orchestra and Mrs. Harry Masters sang a couple of solos. After dinner, they returned to the K of P hall, where they were inspected in ritual and floor work.

THREE BROTHERS WHO MADE GOOD

Fame in the literary world has descended on these three brothers now in America. Left to right, A. Hamilton Gibbs, author; Sir Philip Gibbs, famous war correspondent, and Cosmo Hamilton, author and playwright.

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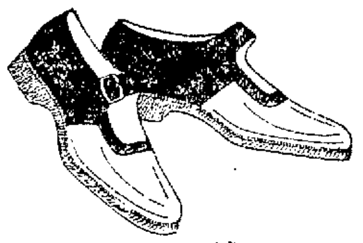

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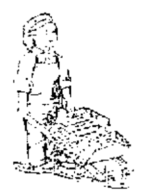

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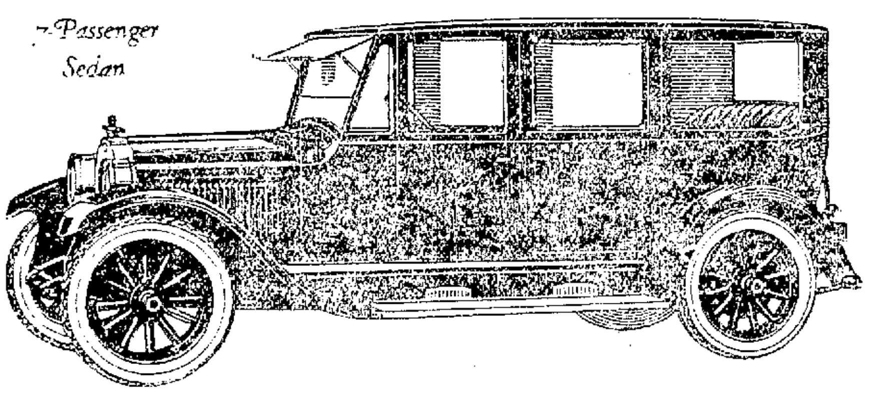

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SOCIAL EVENTS ON CALENDAR AT TOMAH DURING PAST WEEK

Meetings Held, and Small Social Functions Enjoyed; Many Visitors in City

TOMAH, Wis.—Miss Blondina Pingel was in attendance at a dinner party given by Mrs. Earl Thompson and Mrs. Ames Herman of Sparta, complimentary to Miss Harriet Hutson, county superintendent of schools. Covers were laid for twelve. A social evening followed the dinner.

An old time dance was given on the evening of February 22 at Legion hall, Warrens. A large crowd was in attendance. Supper was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Dr. Rivers of the Child Welfare Bureau, Madison, Wis., will be in Tomah on March 1 and will hold a free clinic for babies and children to kindergarten age. Dr. Rivers spent three weeks in Tomah last fall.

John Fiesling attended the Michigan-Wisconsin basketball game held in Madison on Monday evening and spent the past week with his brother, Will, a freshman student at Wisconsin university.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Miller have gone to Columbus, Wis., where they are to reside and where Mr. Miller will manage the Schultz Brothers' Variety Store.

Miss Tillie [illegible] entertained the Elder club at her home on Thursday evening. Music, a social evening and a supper party were pleasing features of the meeting.

The Good Times club met at the home of Mrs. George McMullen on Wednesday afternoon. Sewing and the serving of afternoon tea were the activities of the gathering.

On Thursday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Alva McMullen entertained at cards. Five hundred was played at several tables after which refreshments were served.

Miss Dorothy Cassels on Monday evening entertained the local chapter of Queen Esther Girls at her home. A program was followed by a supper party.

The G. C. club of young ladies was entertained on Wednesday evening by Miss Irene Kokbeck.

Douglas Gale was host to the Knights of Honor on Monday evening. A program and supper party were pleasing features of the gathering.

Welda Becker entertained the young girls' club, "The Buds of Promise", on Saturday afternoon. A valentine party, supper party and appropriate games were features of the afternoon.

The Mondi Card club met on Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lockwood. A [illegible] dinner was served, after which [illegible] pinochle was played at several tables.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Perkins were tendered a surprise party at their home in Oakdale on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Maunn entertained the Five Hundred club at their home on Tuesday evening. Cards and refreshments were pleasing features of the evening.

On Friday afternoon Julia Strouse was tendered a surprise party by a group of young friends.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Nuzum of New York City announce the engagement of their daughter, Miriam [illegible] to [illegible] Hesslington, of Dodgeville, formerly of this city. Rev. and Mrs. Nuzum were also former residents of Tomah.

A conference of Episcopal Sunday school teachers of the Sparta district will be held at Sparta on February 25. Mrs. L. W. Earle, superintendent of St. Mary's Sunday school of this city, will attend the conference.

Mrs. W. S. Pope of Superior, Wis., is the guest of her daughters, the Misses Minnie and Clara Yaeger.

The Misses Jessie Taylor and Minerva Paulgarten are Milwaukee visitors.

Messrs. Roger Thom, [illegible] Kerl and Herman Stoekel were in attendance at the state [illegible] tournament held the past week in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Cora Robertson has as her guest Mrs. Robert Wyatt of Bunard, Mich.

Miss Audrey Tucker attended the informal prom given on Friday evening by Marquette College, Milwaukee.

Jean Warren accompanied the Tomah negative debating team to Viroqua on Thursday.

The Tomah-Sparta-Viroqua Tri-Angular debate occurred Thursday evening. Tomah's negative team, Francis Clarke, captain, Alvin Myers, Alice L. McCaul debates at Viroqua. Tomah's affirmative team, Tom McCaul, captain, Warren Sowle and Nellie M. Sullivan debates at Tomah against Sparta's negative team.

On Monday evening Mrs. Albert Jordan entertained the Larkin club and the executive committee of the Progressive club.

Miss Irma Taylor of Minneapolis is the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. A. Taylor.

Miss Bertha Hering has returned to her home in Cross Plains, Wis., after a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. B. Johnson.

Messrs. S. A. Bakken and Ben Nuzum attended a lumbermen's convention held in Milwaukee the past week.

Miss [illegible] Birnbaum attended the Michigan-Wisconsin basketball game played in Madison on Monday evening.

During the past week Mr. E. T. Hancock of Bucharest, Roumania, who is employed by an American oil company to survey oil fields in Europe, visited his brother, F. S. Hancock and family.

Mrs. Fred [illegible] was hostess on Washington's Birthday to the ladies of the Sunshine club.

Mrs. Edgar [illegible] of Hankinson, N. D., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey.

Mr. Smith and family of Racine have moved to this city and Mr. Smith has taken over the management of the Schultz Brothers' Variety Store.

George [illegible] of St. Cloud, Minn., spent the week-end with Earl Madden.

Mrs. Cord and Miss Helen Cord are Chicago business visitors.

Mrs. [illegible] of Sparta, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. May [illegible], matron at the Tomah Government Indian school.

Mr. [illegible] Cummings, athletic coach in Tomah high school, attended the Wisconsin-Michigan basketball game held at Madison on Monday evening.

Lucile Kyle, instructor in Latin and French at Reedsburg, spent the week-end with her father, Dr. Kyle.

Mrs. Harold Finnerty and young son of Chicago are guests of Mrs. M. D. Finnerty.

Miss Theda Scheulke is spending ten days at her parental home in Marshfield.

Bernard Drow spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank [illegible].

Miss Florence [illegible] of St. Paul is a visitor at the [illegible] home.

Miss Elizabeth [illegible] is the guest of friends residing at Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. William [illegible] are guests of relatives at Kiel, Wis.

Miss [illegible] and Mr. Vincent Blachke are spending two weeks at Janesville.

Mr. Ben Nuzum was in attendance at a lumbermen's convention held the past week in Milwaukee.

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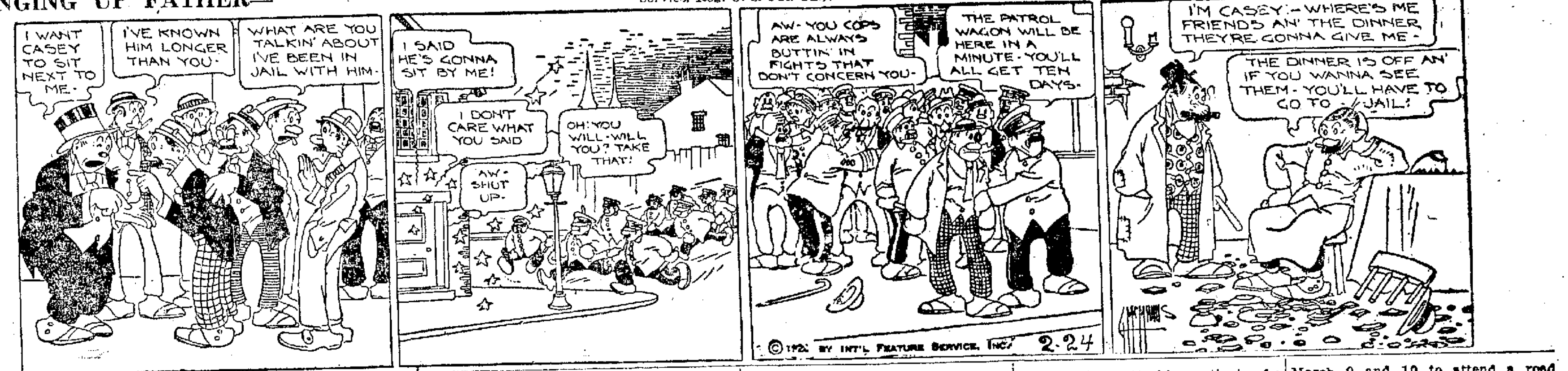
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LOTUS LILY PODS NEW COMMODITY FOR WINTER JOBS

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PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis.—Harvesting lotus lily pods with the car on the ice of the Mississippi is a new winter job in this vicinity. Many tons of the pods have been gathered from the sloughs and ponds of the river about Prairie du Chien and McGregor this winter, and shipped to eastern firms for use in making painted winter bouquets and perpetuated wreaths for cemeteries. The big brown cone-shaped pods of the lotus with their cup like seed receptacles lead all other "dead weeds" in adaptability to preservation with parafin and painting with colors, say manufacturers of the perpetuated wreaths and bouquets. They are not only the largest and choicest of weeds but the toughest, lightest and most durable.

W. F. Bickel has found there is an almost unlimited demand for the pods and has had men and boys engaged in harvesting them, and himself has spent much of the winter on the ice with his car gathering and bringing in the pods. They are found on the banks where they fall after they shed their seeds in the fall.

The big yellow lotus lily common on the Upper Mississippi, long has been considered the most gorgeous of the wild flowers of America. Scientists recently have been calling attention to the value of the plant for food as well as for its beauty, saying that the tubers are nutritious and delicious when boiled and were a favorite food of the American Indian. The new demand for the pods for decorative purposes makes every part of the lotus lily of value and suggests commercial possibilities in the culture of the plant by gardeners along the river.

N. Y. DANCING FLAPPER NOW LEARNING POLKA

NEW YORK.—Three slides and a hop—or is it three hops and a slide?—and the Polka has come back again.

The old dance, half-cousin of the Virginia reel has struck New York hop-pavilions with a rush. Done to foxtrot time and exhausting in its pace it threatens to meet the approval of censors as the least "stationary" of all dances.

Middle-aged gentlemen are responsible for the revival, having by greater wealth replaced the cake eater as the companion of the dancing flapper.

"Isn't it jolly?" ask the girls. They used to say, "Aint it snug?"

MADISON BOY BANDITS GIVEN FIVE YEAR TERMS

MADISON, Wis.—Three youthful bandits left here on Wednesday for the Green Bay reformatory to serve five year sentences for robbery and burglary, imposed by Judge Stoen, after they had confessed to nearly a score of minor robberies and holdups. The three are Hubert Buechner, 19 years old; Willis Harbort, 20, and Stuart Halberslaben, alias Robert Walton, 18.

MERRILL STILL FIGHTS FLU

MERRILL, Wis.—Mayor D. B. Reinhart says reports that the influenza epidemic here is over are misleading and that there are frequently new symptoms attacking patients who have apparently recovered. The mayor says that only prompt and careful attention has avoided critical complications.

ROAD SCHOOL AT SUPERIOR

SUPERIOR, Wis.—Road patrolmen of Douglas county will gather here on March 9 and 10 to attend a road school conducted somewhat along the lines of the state school for county highway officials. Forty patrolmen for 1923 will be selected at this time. A dangerous crossing will be eliminated with the construction of an overhead crossing near Beebe, Wis., by the Omaha road.

Advertisement

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Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

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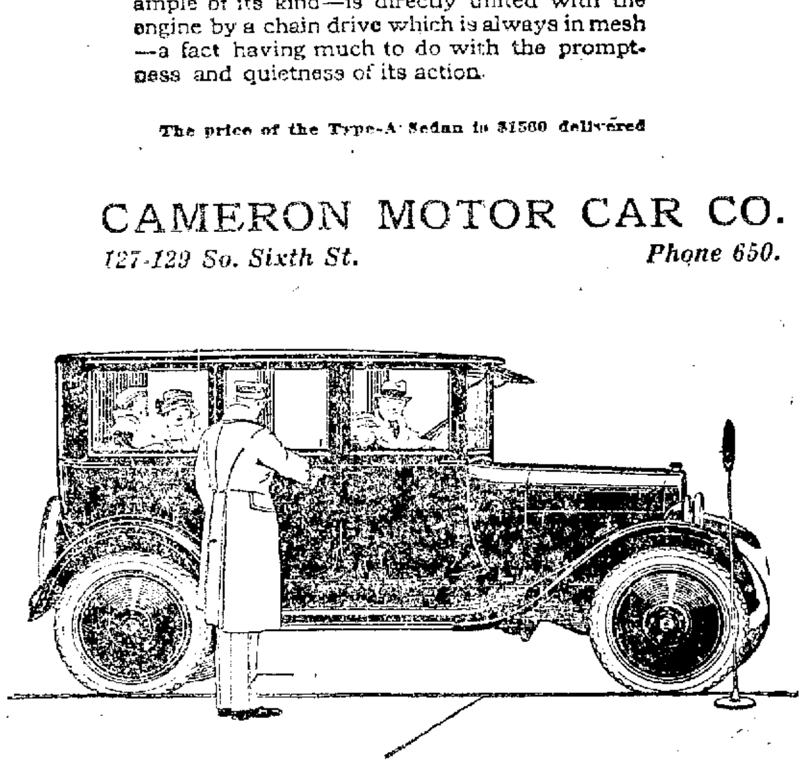

Bargains in New Farm Implements

We have purchased seven car loads of farm machinery and twine in anticipation of the advance in price and are offering this purchase, together with our regular stock, at the following special prices while the stock lasts.

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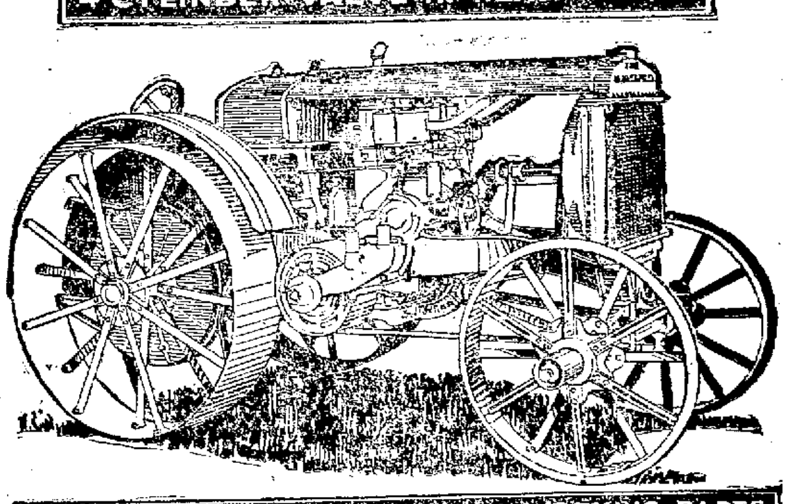

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Janesville Pivot Axle Cultivator, 8-shovel	$35.00
Janesville Walking Cultivator, 8-shovel	$25.00
Janesville Walking Plow, 14-inch, with fin cutter	$16.00
Janesville Walking Plow, 16-inch, with fin cutter	$18.00
Janesville Steel Lever Harrow, 70-tooth, 12-foot cut	$14.50
Janesville Steel Lever Harrow, 60-tooth, 10-foot cut	$14.00
Litchfield No. 1 Spreaders	$120.00
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Minnesota 6-foot Binders with bundle carrier	$145.00
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I. H. C. Primrose Separator No. 4	$85.00
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ODD LOT BARGAINS

DOERFLINGER'S

WASHING MACHINES

Closing out two Eden Electric Wash Machines, selling formerly at $150.00, Odd Lot Sale **$98.00**

WASH MACHINES

4 Apex Electric Wash Machines, selling formerly at $135, sale price **$98.00**

Here's a "Gang" of Real Values From All Over the Store

MEN'S WOOL SOCKS

88 pair Men's Wool Socks. These are supposed to be all wool, but we cannot guarantee that. There may be a little cotton in them. They were made for the army and we could not duplicate them for less than 50c a pair. Odd Lot Sale, pair..... **13c**

CRIB BLANKETS

45 Baby Crib Blankets in white only, while they last in the Odd Lot Sale each.. **10c**

ALARM CLOCKS

Eleven Alarm Clocks, nickel case, loud alarm, while they last, each **79c**

GALVANIZED WATER PAILS

42 Galvanized Water Pails, ten-quart size, while they last, each **10c**

ELECTRIC LIGHT BULBS

76 Mazda Lamps, 100 watts, regular 85c value, Odd Lot Sale each **49c**

ELECTRIC LIGHT BULBS

350 Westinghouse Electric Lamps, genuine Westinghouse Mazda drawn wire Tungsten Lamps, 115 volts, 15 and 25 watt size, each.. **19c**

COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH RECORDS

1864 Columbia Double Face Records, 10-inch size, a great variety of vocal and instrumental selections, Odd Lot Sale each **19c**

POST CARDS

150 packages Postal Cards, assorted local views, Odd Lot Sale 20 for **5c**

UNION SUITS

164 Boys' and Girls' Union Suits, fleeced cotton ribbed, peeler color, long sleeves, ankle length, drop seat for girls, open seat for boys, Odd Lot Sale each **29c**

DUST CAPS

143 Women's Dust Caps, made of fancy wash materials, trimmed with lace and white lawn, Odd Lot Sale each.. **5c**

TEA APRONS

83 Women's White Tea Aprons made of fine white Nainsook, ruffle trimming, tie band, each **5c**

APRON DRESSES

83 Women's Gingham Apron Dresses, made of good quality materials in checked and plaid patterns, attractive well made styles, each **49c**

KNIT FABRIC STEP-INS

30 pair Women's Knit Fabric Step-ins, were cheap at 50c. They are soiled from displaying, so we will close them out in the Odd Lot Sale at per pair only **25c**

WOMEN'S BLACK KID GLOVES

27 pair of Women's Black Kid Gloves, size 5¾, will be closed out at per pair **25c**

Cannot be exchanged.

WOMEN'S COTTON GLOVES

33 pairs of Women's White Lisle Finished Cotton Gloves, closing out in the Odd Lot Sale at per pair **10c**

INFANTS' VESTS

A small lot of Ruben's Infant Vests, cotton and part wool, closing out at—

HALF PRICE

ODD LOT OF COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPHS

$125.00 Machines at ________________ **$69.00**

$140.00 Machines at ________________ **$89.00**

$180.00 Machines at ________________ **$98.00**

Odd Lots In Women's and Children's Apparel

APRON DRESSES

About 3½ dozen Women's Apron Dresses, made of percale in assorted patterns, regular $1.50 value, Odd Lot Sale each ________ **$1.00**

CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

One lot of 10 Children's Dresses of ginghams and chambrays, in solid colors only, sizes 6 to 17, $3.50 to $7.50 values, each ________ **$2.50**

CHILDREN'S CHALLIE DRESSES

Children's Challie Dresses, slightly damaged, sizes 4, 5 and 6, only four in the lot, each ________ **$1.00**

CHILDREN'S KNIT DRESSES

Two Children's Knit Dresses, sizes 4 and 5, $5.50 values, at ________ **$2.95**

BOYS' HATS AND CAPS

About six dozen Boys' Hats and Caps in chinchilla and tweed mixtures, $1.50 and $2.00 values, at ________ **98c**

BOYS' OVERALLS

One lot of three dozen Boys' Big Overalls, striped denim, sizes 8 to 14, Odd Lot Sale, each ________ **50c**

WOMEN'S WAISTS

One lot of twenty Silk Waists in georgettes and a few Canton Crepes, mostly large sizes, up to 54, values to $10.00, at ________ **$2.95**

COATS AND CAPES

Odds and ends of Misses' and Women's Spring and Winter Coats and Capes, about six in the lot, each__ **$1.50**

WINTER COATS

Odds and ends of Winter Coats, mostly large sizes up to 53, about 15 in the lot, going at each ________ **$9.50**

FURS

Odds and ends of Fur Mu¼s and Scarfs, about fifteen in the lot, each________ **$4.95**

APRONS

One lot of Aprons in Percales, in light colors, novelty trimming, about seven dozen i nthe lot, each ________ **59c**

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Odds and ends of Children's soiled white Organdy and Voile Dresses, sizes 7 to 14, $2.25 to $5.00 values, one dozen in the lot, each ________ **98c**

Some "Hot Ones" For the Men

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

One lot of 15 dozen Men's Dress Shirts in a beautiful assortment of patterns, all sizes ________ **69c**

MEN'S CAPS

Men's Caps, large assortment of styles and colors, all sizes, about four dozen in the lot, each ________ **98c**

MEN'S TIES

Men's four-in-hand Knit Ties and Flowing Ends, hundreds of ties to choose from, at 39c or________ **3 for $1**

MEN'S COLLARS

Men's Arrow Soft Collars, sizes 14, 14½, 16½ and 17, 25c, 35c, and 50c styles, three dozen in the lot, each___ **10c**

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

150 Men's Work Shirts in blue and khaki, blu in sizes 14½, 15 and 15½, khaki in sizes 15, 15½, 16 and 16½, each ________ **69c**

MEN'S CAPS

150 Men's Caps, odds and ends, going during the Odd Lot Sale at each ________ **10c**

BELTS

Men's Belts in black and brown leather, 175 in the lot, Odd Lot Sale each ________ **25c**

GLOVES

Men's Mulehide Work Gloves, in gauntlet style, good value, at per pair ________ **29c**

Odd Lot Sale Real Bargains In Our Paint Department

A CHANCE TO SAVE 75c A GALLON ON THE BEST PAINT MANUFACTURED.

Our best Paint, Glidden Superior, a pure linseed oil paint, per gallon **$3.25**

Fort Dearborn House Paint, at per gallon **$2.89**

Sherwin-Williams Best Paint, at per gallon **$3.25**

Sherwin - Williams Flat Tone Paint, gallon **$2.49**

Glidden's Flat Wall Paint, at per gallon **$2.98**

Valentine & Co., quick drying hardwood Floor Varnish, extra pale in color and will not scratch white, at per gallon ________ **$4.98**

Doerflinger's Interior Varnish, special at per gallon ______ **$2.98**

Household Kalsomine, five-pound package at ________ **44c**

Half gallon Old Dutch White Enamel, special at ________ **$2.87**

85c can Orange Shellac, priced at___ **64c**

$1.45 can White Enamel, at _____ **$1.15**

Sherwin-Williams Paint, quart can ____ **87c**

70c can Linoleum Varnish, at ________ **51c**

35c can Heat Proof Stove Enamel at ____ **19c**

49c can Enameloid, all colors, at ______ **38c**

$3.00 Floor Polishing Brush and an 85c can of Floor Wax, the TWO for ________ **$3.00**

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Painters and Paperhangers furnished.

BASEMENT.

Odd Lot Bargains From the Furniture Department

Two-piece suite, solid mahogany, wonderful crotch mahogany frame and upholstered with best grade of Verona (embossed) velour, settee and large chair .... **2 pieces for $45.00**

Two-piece suite, solid mahogany frames, seat and back upholstered with silk damask, settee and chair .... **2 pieces for $33.00**

One four-piece Fibre Suite Davenport, Chair, Rocker and Table, cretonne covered and frame finished blue and Gold, 4 pieces for **$48.00**

One lonely oak Sideboard, nice quarter sawed oak with large mirror, in perfect condition, special at **$28.00**

One Indian Grey Vanity Dresser, high class construction and in perfect condition, Queen Anne style, at **$42.00**

One walnut veneer Chiffonier, full size with mirror, best of workmanship, perfect condition, for **$38.00**

One full size Chiffonier, in Indian grey finish, Louis XIV style, perfect, for **$36.00**

One large Chiffonier, solid walnut, wonderfully made, cedar bottom in drawer, bamboo pattern, a beautiful piece for **$52.00**

One solid mahogany Chiffonette, light brown finish, an unusual piece, Queen Anne style and fit for any home, for **$65.00**

One walnut Chifferobe, full size and best construction, a wonderful bargain for... **$54.00**

Also same pattern in mahogany at the same price **$54.00**

One solid oak Library Table, full quarter sawed, one large drawer, slat ends and a 30x50-inch top, for **$15.00**

One ivory enameled Day-Bed with box spring, in a fancy blue tick, to be discontinued, complete at the bargain price of **$48.00**

Don't forget, we are the representatives of the Home Furnishing Style Association and always have a good line of Triple Guarantee Goods on our floor.

Five Cents Goes Big In the Odd Lot Sale

MEN'S COTTON FLANNEL GLOVES AND MITTENS

145 pair Men's Cotton Mittens and Gloves, made of good cotton flannel, most of the mittens have double thumbs, can be worn both ways. The gloves have cuffs, while they last, per pair **5c**

MEN'S DEPT.—MAIN FLOOR.

BOYS' WASH TIES

96 Men's and Boys' Wash Ties, made of good wash materials in colors and stripe designs, at each...... **5c**

MEN'S DEPT.—MAIN FLOOR.

BATHROOM SLIPPERS

53 pair Bathroom Slippers, made of ciderdown and blanket material, while they last **5c**

SHOE DEPARTMENT

TABLE SCARFS

24 Table Scarfs, made of good white material in blue printed designs, while they last, choice **5c**

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

FIRE SHOVELS

101 Fire Shovels of plain galvanized iron and japanned iron, while they last, each **5c**

HARDWARE

DOERFLINGER'S

Odd Lots of Domestics

SHEETING

100 yards 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, fine even weave, heavy weight, good firm construction; only a limited quantity, priced for the Odd Lot Sale at per yard **45c**

184 HUCK TOWELS

Made of good bleached absorbent cotton, size 17x36 inches, hemmed ends, strong huck weave, Odd Lot Sale price each **9c**

TABLE DAMASK

150 yards of Table Damask in floral and spot designs, good firm woven cloth in ordinary width, Odd Lot Sale per yard **49c**

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN

300 yards of Unbleached Muslin, 39 inches wide, good quality, fine even weave; a cloth that will wear and wash well; priced for Odd Lot Sale, yard.. **15c**

TURKISH TOWELS

15 dozen large size Turkish Towels, heavy quality, double thread, full bleach, priced for the Odd Lot Sale each **29c**

Sale of Odds and Ends In Corsets and Camisoles

Camisoles are dark brown silk with embroidery trimming and plain blue Camisoles, were $3.00 to $4.00.

Corsets are all well-known makes, Warners, American Lady, Royal Worcester and Henderson, also a few front lace styles, your choice in the Odd Lot Sale **$1.00**

The Shoe Department Comes In Strong

WOMEN'S LACE SHOES

75 pairs Women's Lace Shoes, in black and brown vici kid and calf leathers, all Goodyear Welt Soles with French and Military heels, pair **$1.00**

WOMEN'S OXFORDS

75 pairs Women's Black Kid Oxfords with French heels, Goodyear welt soles, Odd Lot Sale at per pair **$1.00**

WOMEN'S PUMPS

50 pairs Women's Pumps in patent and vici kid, hand tur nsoles, per pair **$1.00**

INDIAN MOCCASINS

75 pair Women's Indian Mocassins, all leather with comfort cushion soles, pair.. **$1.00**

FOOTHOLD RUBBERS

50 pair of Women's Foothold Rubbers, first quality, Odd Lot Sale, per pair **50c**

MISSES' SHOES

35 pairs Misses' Calfskin School Shoes, all solid leather, sizes 13 to 2, sale price, pair **$1.00**

CHILD'S SHOES

50 pairs Child's Black Kid and Calf Button Shoes, all solid leather, sizes 5 to 8, pair.. **$1.00**

Odd Lot Bargains From the Basement

2 only, 59c Electric Tail Lights for bicycles, completely wired, each **25c**

8 only, 35c tail lights for bicycles, not mounted, each.. **10c**

4 only, $1.89 Preston Bicycle Lamps, complete with battery holder and spot light, clamps and wire, outfit for **50c**

8 lbs. of No. 9 Seine Twine, will make good fish lines, the regular price was $1.25 a pound, Odd Lot Sale per pound **39c**

4 only, 98c three-piece Carving Sets, per set **39c**

8 only, $1.00 regular Chicago lead pencil sharpeners, each **69c**

4 only, $1.00 extra heavy glass mail boxes, each...... **69c**

10 only, imitation leather chair seats, round, 14 inches diameter, regular price 30c, now **12c**

9 only, Razors, fancy handles, good blades, each...... **19c**

30 only, 1½-quart Mirro Aluminum Sauce Pans with aluminum covers, complete **39c**

12 nickel plated Tack Pullers, tempered steel blade, each **3c**

34 pint cans of Whiz for polishing silver, nickel or brass .... **3 cans for 25c**

18 only, Splint Waste Paper Baskets, fancy colored, were 69c, now at **25c**

4 only, Grass Knit Shopping Bags, were 35c, now each... **10c**

33 only, 1-quart size Cedar Oil Polish, per bottle **39c**

210 Scratch Pads, 25 leaves to a pad, size of pad 8x3 inches, now .... **3 pads for 1c**

22 packages Mixed Shells and Pebbles for your gold fish, enough for a three-gallon fish globe, package **3c**

32 Heart Shaped Oil Mops, small size, no handles, each... **5c**

22 Toilet Paper Holders, wood roller, steel hanger, each...... **3c**

3 Tin Lunch Boxes with tin cup, tin coffee bottle and jelly tin, complete outfit **25c**

7 only, extra strong Ash Sifters, regular price 25c, on sale now at each **10c**

PLAIN WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, special at each **2½c**

MEN'S PLAIN WHITE HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS, at each **5c**

ZEPHYR YARN, all colors, priced special at per ball **32c**

KNITTING YARN, quarter pound skein, Monday at **48c**

THE DRUG STORE

Hardwater Castile Soap, 10c cake at ________ **7½c**

Pebeco Tooth Paste/ 60c tube ________ **43c**

Derma Viva Face Powder, 50c box at ________ **39c**

Putnam Fadeless Dyes, 10c package at ______ **7½c**

Doan's Kidney Pills, 60c box at ________ **49c**

Bromo Quinine, 30c box, Monday at ________ **25c**

HIGHEST QUALITY TOOTH BRUSH, in sanitary box, at ________ **23c**

The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press

THE WALRUS

"The time has come" the Walrus said
"To talk of many things
Of shoes and ships and sealing wax
Of cabbages and kings."

(By C. A. W.)

As its most noteworthy ambition of the year, the Chamber of Commerce, I have observed, is engaged in the business of attempting to reopen idle factories in La Crosse. Officers of the organization opine that local industrial plants, already erected, should all be occupied and operating close to capacity before a great deal of attention can be devoted to the task of getting outside industries to come here and erect new buildings. The first achievement of the year along this line was the consummation of a deal whereby the American Cigar company opened a big plant in the building vacated a year or two ago by the La Crosse Tractor company. This is a healthy concern which will employ 200 persons when operating full time. Now the Chamber of Commerce is negotiating with two or three other outside corporations seeking a change of base or contemplating opening plants in new territory. Another new industry here is already assured and the city may get some others before the year ends. Sounds like a worth-while stunt and deserving of the co-operation and best wishes of every class of citizen.

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Discussing business conditions reminds me that several of the manufacturing firms located in this bustling city are reaching out after foreign trade in honest-to-goodness style these days. One of these corporations is the La Crosse Plow company which is sending representatives far afield in search of business. Hal Hirshheimer only recently returned from a six months' jaunt which took him to the Philippines. On other trips he has been to Cuba and South America. Incidentally, it might be added that business at the plants of he La Crosse Plow company is "perking up" in gratifying style and January was a big month both in production and sales.

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Donald Kleeber, son of Judge and Mrs. Leonard Kleeber, bears the distinction of being La Crosse's youngest globe-trotter. Although only eighteen years of age, Don has been in almost every state in the union, traveling on his own resources and right now is holding down a job in Los Angeles, after traveling westward with a group of magazine solicitors he joined. In his last letter home Donald said he was planning a trip to Europe. When he sets out to travel to some new place he doesn't stop to send an S. O. S. call to dad for money but just starts out, confident of his own ability to make the wherewithal to get him over the road and to his destination. The judge hasn't the slightest idea how Donald is going to negotiate passage to Europe to say nothing of the trip across the continent but rests secure in the ability of the boy to get across "the pond" and back whenever he wills to move. It is very probable that Donald will arrange to work his way over on a boat, and come back by the same means. Mrs. Kleeber left for Los Angeles last week to visit her son before he starts on his first foreign trip. It takes a lot of nerve for a lad in his teens to select to round out his education by traveling on his own resources and I opine that this same nerve and ability will eventually land him in a good job.

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Dr. Frank Weston I am told, has joined the ranks of chiropractor experts embodied in the law firm of Winter, Morris and Helmes of which Tom Morris is chief counsel. Dr. Weston is being called as a medical expert in cases where chiropractors are haled into court on various charges, and like other members of this firm he is getting his share of traveling. Recently he was a chief witness in a manslaughter case in Utah where the chiropractor was acquitted.

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Although the ground is still covered with snow and we are nowhere near through with our winter chore of juggling coal and ashes, one begins to hear gossip among summer cottagers concerning plans for the year which augurs that spring must be near. Adolph Colby is so very certain it is near that he is having a summer cottage moved from the prairie east of the city to a lot he recently purchased at Shore Acres on the Minnesota side of the river above the railroad bridge. It sounds like a cute little stunt for February, but then, I suppose the ice on the river is just as good for transportation purposes as the open stream and a barge and perhaps better. In any event Adolph is bound to have his cottage ready for occupancy by the time the roses bloom in the spring tra-la. Better watch out, Adolph, for Bill Boyer is planning to put a furnace in his new summer home at Riverside camp, and he may beat the roses to it. And I might tip it off too that Vince Kidder has a handsome fireplace in his cottage further up the bank and about two cords of La Crescent oak wood that is just itching to burn.

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Have you ever noticed how interested some parents are in their children's work at school? Some boys and girls take their books home, and each night you will find one of the parents diligently helping the young student solve the problems given at school. Ten years hence, that same scene will be re-acted when that boy or girl goes to the parent for advice in his social or business problems. The Y. M. C. A. has had a "father visit his boy at school" day. For instance, Mr. Wiley of the High school visited his boy at school last Tuesday, and how envious all the other boys were of young Wiley. The student who ranks highest in his school work is the student whose parents show a double interest by visiting the boy at school. They often say "like father like son." A cashier of a bank says that a savings account is started in the school, and if the parents have a savings account, that new account will hold. If the parents have no saving account, it is merely a matter of time when 50c or a dollar saved will be withdrawn for one grand blow-out. The pendulum must swing back. The parents must attract their off-spring because of their interest in his welfare or progress, and if the interest is not forthcoming from the home the boy will seek it on the street or be aided by other organized agencies which are helping to satisfy the craving of the boy for recognition of his ability.

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William F. Hurtgen, local manufacturer who died last Thursday morning, was always a great booster for his home city and he was a leader in many activities calculated to help the community in which he lived. Mr. Hurtgen had forensic ability of no mean order and his speeches invariably were marked by witty flashes which drew rounds of applause and laughter from his audiences. One of his most famous speches was made at Bangor several years ago on an occasion when a party of La Crosse citizens journeyed there in cars to help organize a commercial club. Mr. Hurtgen was advising the citizens of Bangor on the necessity, if they would have a successful commercial organization, of every member engaging actively in whatever work was undertaken to boost the village. "In closing," said Mr. Hurtgen, "I would like to assert that banquets, buttons and bunk never made a commercial club." And "Bill" Hurtgen's epigram with the three b's still stands as a fundamental principle for the guidance of all commercial clubs.

LA CROSSE COUPLE PASS THE FIFTIETH MILESTONE IN THEIR MARRIED LIFE

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Everson celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in the presence of about fifty relative and friends at their home, 1531 Prospect street, recently.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Everson were born in Norway, the former coming to this country in 1861 at the age of nine and the later in 1870 at the age of sixteen.

Mrs. Everson relates an interesting story of the time of her arrival in North La Crosse via the Milwaukee road, the only railway giving service to the city at that time. She also recalls being met at the depot by Mr. Frederick Fleischer, who at that time was editor of two Scandinavian weekly papers in La Crosse.

The marriage of the couple took place at West Prairie on Feb. 6, 1873, and until three years ago they resided on their farm home in Vernon county seven miles northeast of De Soto.

Seven children were born to them of which four are still living. They are Obert and Charles who live near DeSoto, Mrs. H. W. Smith and E. J. Everson, both of La Crosse. They have 12 grandchildren.

A JEWEL AMONG THE HILLS

By HARRY STURDEVANT
(President Galesville-Ettrick Rod and Gun Club.)

To the nimrods, the sportsmen and lovers of nature who have not found the jewel among the hills of Wisconsin I wish to draw this picture.

Among the hills of western Wisconsin in Trempealeau County is a paradise of the sportsmen. On State trunk highway, No. 11, resting in the hills you will find "The Jewel," a place where one might spend several days studying the beauties of mother nature. We start our trip from La Crosse, winding our way north on Highway No. 11 and arriving at Hunters bridge. Crossing Black River we begin to notice the hills in the distance and as we travel on we cross and recross the old battle grounds of the Indians. Arriving at the foot of the hills we find several mounds where the Indian braves are buried. Looking at the hills above our head we see that noted peak the hiding place of Chief Decora. This peak is hollow like a large chimney and one can climb to the top on the outside or up through the center. Arriving at the top there is plenty of room for a small party to spread their lunch and take in the wonders of nature. From this peak you can see the Black River winding it's way down through the valleys below, and looking back up the river we see Hunters bridge in the distance. Looking towards La Crosse the towers of the churches show up against the sky. Now we see the autos as they wind their way along the highway towards the west.

On to Galesville

We have finished our lunch and resume our search for "the jewel among the hills." As we enter the village we notice a sign which reads, "Welcome To Galesville," which we find located among the hills on the banks of Lake Marinuka. We cross over the bridge spanning Beaver Creek and turn to our left for one block, where we find Reception Park, the camping grounds of the tourists. This park is two blocks long and one block wide on the banks of Beaver Creek and has a large pavilion and a good ball park with plenty of shade. While eating our lunch we notice a sign which reads "High Cliff Park and The Fountain of Youth." As we are very anxious not to miss anything we go up the creek for three blocks in search of this park and the "Fountain of Youth," which we find by crossing Beaver Creek on a swing bridge. As we enter the park the steep sand stone cliffs look down upon us with their Lion faces and images. As we continue our way along the path we come to the Trout ponds constructed by the Galesville Conservation Club. Running back into the cliff we find "The Fountain of Youth" flowing from the sand stone cliff in four different places. These springs are as clear and cool as mother nature can make them and flow three hundred and sixty gallons an hour. While we wish to linger longer, We must hurry on and wind our way up creek along the path which brings us out at the bridge near the Davis Milling Company. We have now arrived at the channel which connects Lake Marinuka with Beaver Creek, and looking above our heads for many feet we see the cliffs rise towards the heavens. We wind our way to the top and here we find Evergreen Cemetery which we believe is the prettiest spot we ever have seen.

Pretty Lake North

Looking to the north we see the beautiful Lake Marinuka lying among the hills, and we make up our minds to take the trip around the lake. Coming to East Side Park we find several campers bathing and fishing, they must have had very good luck for they have several large bass in their boat. We now are on our way to the Arctic Springs at the upper end of the Lake where we find plenty of good spring water. It is here that Princess Marinuka is buried with her head towards the rising run, according to the Indian traditions.

Leaving the springs we climb to the top of Old Baldy which stands out like a face on the bluffs north of the village. From here we can see the little village of Galesville at the further end of the lake resting like a jewel set in among the hills and we say to ourselves, surely we have found the "Jewel Among the Hills." which we started out to find. Not being satisfied as yet we turned our way to the hills west of Galesville which we found to be much higher than they looked. As we came to the summit we were taken by surprise as we looked out over the prairies to our west. We could see the fields all covered with green carpets as far as the eyes could see. In the distance we could see the trains on three different railroads as they wound their way down the Mississippi valley with the long trains stretching out like ribbons to the winds. After we had taken in all the wonders of nature that one can hope to see in such a short time we all came to the same conclusion that for scenery Galesville had the world at its doors and that we surely had found "The Jewel Among The Hills."

DOGS HAVE THEIR DAY ON ENGLISH RACE TRACK

LIVERPOOL—Dogs had their day on Wednesday when sixty-four prize grayhounds competed for the Waterloo cup (the "Dog's Derby" and chief event of Europe's coursing season), on the famous Altcar track.

The competition continues for three days, until the best pair are weeded out to compete in the final.

Coursing is a sport which in England is confined almost to the extremes of society. The lowest of the low, racetrack sharps, all kinds of crooks, poachers etc., are passionately attached to coursing. While the middle classes stand aloof, the highest grades of sporting society are equally enthusiastic about the sport. Generally speaking, the Waterloo club meeting is a society affair, but no thoroughbred dog is barred, however humble its ownership, and the meeting attracts an extraordinary mixture of patrons.

PLAN DAY TO HONOR COMMUNITY HELPERS

MADISON, Wis.—To encourage donations from wealthy citizens to public purposes, Senator Anton Kuckuk has offered a bill in the legislature which would make February 12 a holiday in which each community would pay tribute to the men who had done some good for the community as a whole: Lincoln's birthday was selected by Senator Kuckuk as a day fitting for such exercises. There are indications that the bill will be enacted into law.

VOTE OF CHAMBERS AGAINST FEDERAL EDUCATION BOARD

Result of Poll in Which La Crosse Chamber of Commerce Voted is Received

Word has been received by the La Crosse, Wisconsin, Chamber of Commerce, which is one of the fourteen hundred business organizations connected with the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, that the referendum just taken by the National Chamber resulted in a decisive vote against the creation of a federal department of education.

Two other propositions likewise dealing with the question of extending the federal government's interest in education were included in the referendum. The three propositions submitted to the chamber's membership, and the vote on each follow:

Do you favor the creation of a federal department of education with a secretary in the president's cabinet? For, 447½; against, 1291½. Opposed.

Do you favor enlarging the present federal bureau of education? For, 590; against, 1069. No decision.

Do you favor the principle of federal aid to education in the states on the basis of the states appropriating sums equal to those given by the federal government? For, 576½; against, 1173½. Opposed.

Since the chamber can be committed only by a two-thirds majority of the votes cast, no decision was reached on the second proposition.

The three questions were submitted to a vote of the business organizations after the chamber's committee on education had made a long study of the Towner-Sterling bill and other proposals that have been placed before congress. Majority and minority reports were made by the committee.

The majority members of the committee opposed a new department of education and federal aid, but they expressed their belief that the present federal bureau of education should be enlarged. The minority members advocated a new department of education, together with federal aid as proposed in the Towner-Sterling measure. A separate memorandum was prepared by one member of the committee, who differed in some respects from both majority and minority reports in that he opposed a federal department of education, but advocated federal aid for some purposes, such as removal of illiteracy and promotion of a more widespread understanding of the principles of the United States government.

The two reports and the separate memorandum were sent out to member organizations that those voting might have the opportunity to go thoroughly into all sides of the subject themselves. Those who signed the majority report were, James J. Storrow, banker, of Boston; Frank J. Loesch, lawyer, of Chicago; John G. Lonsdale, banker, of St. Louis; Henry S. Pritchett, educator of New York, and Henry D. Sharpe, manufacturer, of Providence, R. I. The minority report was signed by Thomas E. Finegan, superintendent of public instruction in Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Ira Couch Wood, director of the Elizabeth McCormick Memorial Fund for Child Welfare, Chicago. The separate memorandum was prepared by R. Goodwyn Rhett of Charleston, S. C.

LEAP INTO SNOW SAVES FOUR AS HOME BURNS

STEVENS POINT, Wis.—Their escape cut off by flames which enveloped their country home near here on Wednesday, Ed. Mason and three sons to save their lives, were compelled to jump barefooted into the snow from a second story window.

Clad only in night clothes, the four ran to a nearby barn for protection from the cold, and looked on as their home burned to the ground.

Mrs. Mason and two smaller children, asleep in downstairs rooms, escaped without injury.

BOWLER TO INCORPORATE

BOWLER, Wis.—This village is taking steps to incorporate. A petition requesting a special election will be presented this month.

ODD EXPERIENCES OF LOCAL BANKERS ARE TOLD BY ALL

Persons Who Bury Gold are Among the Queerest Customers of Banks

ONE MAN TRIES TO STOP THE PAYMENT ON DOLLAR BILL LOST

Another Attempts to Cash a Soap Coupon in Bank

La Crosse bankers have varied and unique experiences dealing with people in financial matters, but the most interesting are those relating to persons who have dug up old hoards and finally carry the savings of years to deposit in a bank.

"About all the gold that one sees nowadays," said J. F. Bartl, teller of the National Bank of La Crosse, "is that which is brought in for deposit by persons who have dug it up out of old hiding places. Sometimes this gold is brought in by persons who have fallen heir to estates accumulated by persons of thrifty habits, who either did not trust banks or preferred to have their gold secreted about their own premises.

Saves All Gold Pieces

"I know of one man in La Crosse who always transacted business with banks but who had a penchant for saving all the gold pieces that came into his business house. As a result he was able to pay in nice shiny gold pieces for a valuable piece of property which he recently bought.

"Most of the gold in the country is now in the possession of the federal reserve banks. Gold depreciates in weight and value by constant use and it is better to have it in the federal reserve banks than in general circulation. Gold coins may always be obtained when demanded, but there is very little called for these days."

Buried in Gas Pipe

The sorriest looking lot of gold perhaps ever deposited in a La Crosse bank was taken to the Security Savings bank recently for deposit. A certain citizen of thrifty ways had a fondness for gold and whenever he obtained possession of a gold coin hied himself to the cellar of his home, dug in the ground a short distance and uncovered a piece of gas pipe. Removing a cork from one end of this pipe, he shoved the gold piece into the pipe, recorked it and again buried the receptacle. He never removed one of those gold pieces from the pipe.

Finally he died and his heirs, knowing where the gas pipe was buried, brought it to light and sought to remove the gold from the pipe. But the pipe had been in the ground so long that it had corroded and the gold pieces defied removal. It was finally found necessary to rip the pipe to remove the gold and in the process most of the coins were badly cut on the edges and some were defaced.

"But it was perfectly good money and the heirs were credited with a couple thousand dollars when they brought it in for deposit," said J. B. Brenner assistant cashier of the Security bank.

Oddest Experience

Among all the odd experiences which La Crosse bankers have had with persons over financial matters, that which befell Alfred J. Miller, Teller in the State Bank of La Crosse, is perhaps the most unique.

One day an elderly man entered the bank and walking up to the teller's cage, requested Mr. Miller to write in to Washington and stop payment on a one dollar bill which he had lost. He did not have the number of the bill but thought that Mr. Miller should be able not only to stop payment on this particular bill but obtain a new one to reimburse him for his loss. It required fifteen minutes of explanation to satisfy this man that the treasury department could not make good his loss.

Would Cash Soap Coupon

Almost as queer was the chap who entered the same bank and tried to cash a certificate which entitled him to one bar of Ivory soap at any grocery store. This man though that if the certificate was good at a grocery store it certainly should be worth money in a bank and two or three bank officers had to break into the conversation before the man could be convinced that soap certificates were not coin of the realm.

There are certain peculiar incidents which occur in every bank, according to La Crosse bankers.

For instance, there is the woman who ambles up to most any cage in the bank—usually the wrong one—and demands her rent. Several questions are necessary before it finally develops that she has a savings account in the bank and wants her interest money.

Check for Overdraft

Then there is the moss-covered trick, practiced by both men and woman, of giving one's check to make up an overdraft.

Then there is the absent minded person who wants five fours for a twenty dollar bill.

The most unwholesome experience which local bank tellers have they unite in declaring, is handling bills which have been buried for a long time. They always smell badly and sometimes are slimy to the touch. La Crosse bankers lose no time in sending this paper money to the laundry.

No one is allowed aboard a ship when cyanide fumigating is underway.

The gross steamship tonnage of England is over 3,708,316 tons.

LEGENDS GALORE ALONG SCENIC HIGHWAY SOUTH OF CITY OF LA CROSSE

BY C. V. PORTER

The Scenic Highway from La Crosse to Prairie du Chien, if ever built, will afford some of the most beautiful, picturesque and interesting scenery to be found in our country. Tourists rave over the beauty of Killarney, of the "Links of the Forth" at old Sterling, of the Amalfi drive and other foreign scenery, forgetting that right at home we have scenery just as enchanting as any land can boast of.

We may not have a thousand years of history behind us that we can quote and yet almost every bluff and island and brook and ravine along this scenic route has some legend connected with it, some little story of greater interest now than it was fifty years ago and far greater interest still a hundred years hence it will have.

May I give you, kind reader, some of the early history of a short section of that highway, starting at Lynxville and going north a few miles. The little village of Lynxville, 18 miles below De Soto was so named because the steamboat "Lynx" was one of the first boats to land there in the early forties. The first cabin built there by white settlers was a small one built by William T. Sterling of Mt. Sterling and John Haney of Haney Valley to house the copper ore mined by Sterling at the head of Copper Creek near Mt. Sterling in 1844. Haney had come that year from Illinois and settled on the Kickapoo, twelve miles east of Lynxville. He traded with the Winnebagoes who formerly had a large village at Haney Valley burned by Edward V. Whiton in 1840. In 1848 Haney went across to Iowa and founded Lansing.

Harper's Ferry

Across from Lynxville on the Iowa shore is Harper's Ferry. In the early day, Hon. James Fisher told me it was called "Madame Faribault's Prairie." Faribault, a French trader whose name was given to a prosperous Minnesota city, with Madame Faribault, went up river with a boat load of goods. Madame walked across the "cut-off" or isthmus while Faribault rowed around the bend in his boat. The Indians caught and ravished the lady and the early river men gave her name to the prairie.

The first ravine above Lynxville for 80 years has borne the name of Polander Hollow. A Pole located there in the early forties and traded with the Indians. Mr. Fisher believed he was the first white settler to locate in the present town of Seneca.

He was a disreputable character and sold much whiskey to the red men. Mr. Fisher related that Alonzo Pelton, Prairie du Chien merchant, trusted the Pole for goods. He did not pay and Pelton sent a constable to attach them. Thereupon the wife of the Polander, a huge mixture of negro and Indian, mounted the pile of goods and sat upon them. The officer not wishing to molest her, waited, and 'ere he knew it the most valuable articles had been carried away. In the winter of 1844, Mr. Sterling learned of Haney, that a band of Winnebagoes had one day gone from Haney Valley to Polander Hollow to trade, and a squaw whose husband was at home, wanted whisky to take to him. The Pole demanded something in pawn. She pulled off her moccasins and went home barefoot. She froze and cut her feet badly. Next day the chief of the band, learning her condition, sent his young men over and they spilled the Polander's whisky and drove him away.

I cannot learn that John Haney ever sold whisky to the Indians. He was a high class pioneer trader and well educated. Sterling claimed Haney gave the name to the Valley they call Citron Valley, but that Haney always spelled it "Cedron" or "Kedron," because he fancied there was a resemblance of Cedron and Haney Valleys to the two valleys on either side of Jerusalem. John Haney was a man beloved by red men as well as white, and the Indians often spent days with him in his long log cabin up the bank near the river bend at Lansing.

Chandler Hollow Mystery

Chandler Hollow is the second ravine above Lynxville. It has borne that name since 1854, when Alonzo C. Chandler, a bachelor, came there and built a log dwelling north of the little creek and some fifty rods from the highway. It was built on the terrace overlooking the narrow valley and was described as a log hut having two stories underground.

The cabin was built on the edge of the terrace evidently upon a large burial mound and underneath it Chandler had excavated the earth and built an underground room and lower down the steep bank he had dug a cellar. Some 30 feet lower down he had a cattle barn, the posts of which were standing when I visited the spot in 1880. Chandler cultivated several acres of land near his house and mowed grass along the creek bottom.

He kept a yoke of oxen, several cows and some young stock. He lived alone, did his own cooking and was known to be a quiet, peaceable, intelligent gentleman. A man of more than ordinary intelligence he held the office of justice of the peace and took active part in the debates before the Lynxville Lyceum.

He had many warm friends who searched diligently for him after his mysterious disappearance. Like most bachelors he had certain peculiar habits, one of which was to put on a fine shirt and good suit and hat and go barefoot to Lynxville.

Strangely Disappears

Late in the fall of 1869 Chandler went to Viroqua to pay taxes on land he owned in Vernon county on which he had constructed a "dug out." He was traced to Liberty Pole by a brother, who came from the east to search for him, after which no trace of him was ever found. It was supposed he was murdered for his money, of which it was thought he carried several hundred dollars. A detective was employed to work upon the case but with negative results. Chandler's stock was sold by the town treasurer and the affair almost forgotten.

Sixteen years later, Mr. Odell Slade, occupant of the farm in 1885, was one day back at the southeast corner of section 11, lot 1, the section corner of the Chandler farm, when his curiosity was aroused and he dug into the little stone covered mound on which stood the corner stake. Some time before old residents had agreed to meet and investigate that mound, but the day was rainy; This section corner, on which in all probability Chandler's funeral pile was kindled, is on a terrace south of the creek, about 70 rods from the river. Nearby are several fine effigy mounds surveyed by Archaeologist T. H. Lewis of St. Paul in 1885.

Find Crematory

This supposed crematory was made by first digging a circular hole about four feet across and eighteen inches deep in the clay. On the bottom were laid flat stones, and the sides then lined with stones set up edgewise around the basin which was large enough to contain the body of a man. Mr. Thomas Dickson, by flexing his limbs, found room to lie down in it without difficulty. In that basin Mr. Slade and others found a quantity of ashes and charcoal, many pieces of bones several inches long, among which they state was a part of a human jaw bone containing teeth which fell to pieces quickly. They also found a brass suspender ring, an iron pantaloon button, two white earthen shirt buttons, a corroded 10-penny nail and a small amount of melted lead. Over those bones, coals and ashes containing the buttons was a layer of clay some five inches thick, and over the clay were placed some 20 or 30 stones which were laid together closely, or as Mr. Mansfield worded it, "like rip-rapping." Several pieces of oak wood partly burned and the uncharred portions sound were dug out. The lime and sandstone rocks gave evidence of having been subjected to great heat, as did the clay covering the ashes.

Two feet from the basin stood a birch tree half a foot through which Slade cut into to determine whether it had been injured by the fire. Near the center the wood was black, and outside the black portion I counted from 14 to 17 normal annual rings, yet it was difficult to determine the exact number outside the black heart. Extending from the basin six or eight feet toward the river was a shallow ditch or trench where evidently the clay was taken to cover the pile.

I counted about fifty stones around that corner, nearly a small wagon load, all brought from a distance, as there were no similar stones anywhere near. Has someone tried to impose upon the public by burning these articles there? I think not. It is probable those bones were burned about the time of Chandler's disappearance. The black heart of that birch tree on the side next the fire, covered with 14 to 17 annual rings of healthy growth indicates that. That funeral pile was made by man or men who knew where that section was and not by strangers from off the river. They chose that corner believing men would regard that little elevation covered by those stones as a monument, erected by Chandler to mark that corner and for sixteen years that opinion was right.

Notice on Door

On Chandler's cabin door after he disappeared was found written "Gone to Viroqua to be gone 3 weeks." This was thought to be a ruse of the murderer to postpone suspicion. Did the melted lead found in the ashes once form the bullet that killed that lonely bachelor? God only knows. Why, if Chandler was murdered at his home was his body not sunk in the slough nearby? The slough was covered with thin ice and attempt to sink the body there would be attended with trouble and risk of discovery. The coroner of Crawford county was summoned and from him I received a white earthen shirt button, three roots of teeth, three bones evidently from the wrist, and three fragments of what appear to have been metacarpal bones. In conclusion I would say that in common with old residents of Lynxville with whom I conversed 37 years ago I cannot rid myself of the belief that Chandler's body was cremated on the corner of his own farm. That he was murdered is almost certain. Who committed the deed only God knows. What became of Alonzo Chandler, pioneer resident of Chandler Hollow will always remain a mystery.

GREEK MEETS GREEK HERE: RESULT IS SLANDER SUIT

JUNEAU, Wis.—Greek will meet Greek in a slander action to be tried here before Judge C. M. Davison on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Anagnostopoulos ask $10,000 damages for mean words said to have been uttered by Theodosis Karamanolis.

WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN PROGRAM GIVEN IN VIROQUA

Women's Relief Corps Holds Joint Celebration of Birthdays on Saturday Afternoon

VIROQUA, Wis.—Nearly 80 members of the Women's Relief Corps attended the meeting on Saturday afternoon and enjoyed the splendid program given in observance of the joint birthday anniversaries of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington, under direction of the corp patriotic instructor, Mrs. Salome Miller.

A delightful feature of the program was the dancing of the Virginia reel by the [illegible]

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evening session. Mr. F. M. Minshall of this city will respond to the address of welcome which will be given by Mayor A. A. Bentley at the social meeting in the evening.

On Thursday afternoon the Lutheran Aid Society was entertained in the church parlors by the Mesdames Mons Helgerson, Ole Jackson, T. T. Sanwick, Otto Ontesor, Martin Berg, Chris Bjork.

Wednesday evening the Royal Neighbors entertained a number of guests at a dancing party, given at the Woodmen hall. A cafeteria luncheon was served by the hostesses.

Mrs. W. M. Bull entertained a small party at "bridge" on Thursday evening.

Miss Eare Smith was hostess to a party of friends at her home on Wednesday evening.

On Thursday evening Mrs. Chris Berg entertained a few friends at luncheon having a small party of ladies and gentlemen.

On Thursday afternoon the Congregational Aid Society will be entertained in the church parlor by a committee of five ladies.

Mrs. E. M. Nye was hostess to a small party of friends at her home on Thursday afternoon.

The American Legion Minstrel Show which was postponed on account of the illness of several of the boys who had parts in the program will be given on Wednesday and Thursday nights February 28th and March 1st. With the additional two weeks for rehearsals which has elapsed since th former arranged date the show is guaranteed to excell the show of the past year given by the Legion.

The Methodist Aid Society will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

The annual Men's supper was given at the Methodist church on Thursday evening, prepared and served by the men. The Community club attended the supper.

PREVENTING THEFTS; OWN STUNTS ARE BEST—BUT EVEN THEY AREN'T PERFECT

Automobile insurance companies will lower an auto owner's theft premium, if he attaches an approved anti-theft contrivance to his car. Many companies, in fact, will insure no motorist against theft unless such attachment is added.

But, despite all inventions contrived to date, automobiles are being stolen in far greater number than ever before. Automobiles have increased—yes. But so has the vigilance of police and of insurance detectives.

What has not been effective in preventing auto thefts, however, has been the anti-theft appliance. No matter what the invention, a clever crook—and auto crooks know their game well—has been able to overcome it. He has a bunch of keys for all sorts of locks. He has a chisel, a hammer—anything to open, or break, a hindrance to his criminal act.

Police and insurance men are beginning to realize that thefts can be prevented not so much by the application of anti-theft appliances, as by the clever forethought of each auto owner. Anti theft inventions help where the amateur crook is concerned, but to the professional they have not been much hindrance.

Secret Ways Best

The solution, therefore, resolves itself to the auto owner's own secret method of forestalling the theft of his machine. Crooks know most of these, but even this knowledge may not help them because of the many variations to which each preventive measure can be put.

For instance, where lines leading to the spark plugs are about the same length, he knows many autoists take the precaution of switching them so that no spark will occur at the right time. In spite of this, however, the preventive is much more effective than a marketed appliance,

Even If the Car Is Stolen—

Your mark scratched on the radiator feed pipe or a name placed inside a headlight rim might help you identify your car with ease.

because there are so many different combinations in which these cables can be switched. It would be some task for a thief to find the right combination.

Other precautions just as effective against theft are;

Removing some vital part of the ignition system. For example, the distributor brush may be taken out with ease and in a short time.

Attaching a secret fuel-line cut-off.

Concealing a knife switch in the ignition system so that when the switch is open the current is shut off. The crook might know the cause of his trouble in attempting to remove the car, but he might have to give up before finding where the opening is in the circuit.

Can't Stop Towing

There is one method in theft, however, that cannot be prevented. That is, towing off the car. Crooks have been known to bring a garage wrecking car to the scene of their theft, lift up the front or rear wheels and tow it off—giving an appearance as though the object of their crime was in a wreck.

For this reason the motorist should always consider his machine liable to be stolen. And for this reason, one additional precaution should be taken. This is marking the car so that it can easily be identified by the real owner.

Auto manufacturers have their own markings on various parts of the machine. But every thief knows where to look for them and how to eliminate or change them.

The only way out, therefore, is the placing of the owner's individual marks in secret spots about the car. The car thief might try looking for such marks, but it would be almost beyond human ingenuity to find all.

Some known ways to mark the car for identification are—scratching a mark or name on the inside of the radiator feed, inside the headlight rims or at any of a thousand and one points on the chassis and body, each just as secret as the other.

Concealing a calling card in the upholstery may lead to easy identification. In fact, there may be as many such ways of proving ownership as there are auto owners. Chances of destruction of these, in the process of "reforming" a stolen auto, are almost nil.

SHIP DAMAGED AT SEA

TOKIO (A. P.)—The United States shipping board freighter, Hefron, with her propeller broken, was towed into Tokio harbor on Wednesday by the liner President Lincoln.

BIG FARM FOR ORPHANAGE

RHINELANDER, Wis.—The 1,600 acre farm of the late John P. Higgins, near Clearwater, Minn., Oneida county, has been transferred, according to the terms of Mr. Higgins' will, to St. Mary's Orphans' home, Chicago. It is one of the largest and best equipped farms in this section of the state.

CUSTOMS SET NEW RECORD

NEW YORK—(A. P.)—Customs receipts on Wednesday set a new record when $2,107,886 was collected in duties on $8,000,000 worth of imported raw and finished products.

WOULD MAKE ENGLISH COMMON LANGUAGE OF PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

System of Universal Military Training also Urged by Governor General Wood

MANILA.—The establishment of English as the common language of the Philippine Islands and a system of universal military training in Philippine universities, colleges, and higher schools are subjects of great importance to the people of the islands in the opinion of Governor General Leonard Wood. In a statement Governor General Wood said the people of the Philippines labor under two disadvantages. One is due to their residence on many different islands, preventing a quick assembly for purposes of defense, and the other, he declared, is due to the fact that there is no great common language.

"The people speak a number of different dialects and those from one portion of the islands often cannot understand the people from another," declared Governor General Wood. "This is a great source of weakness, but happily, one which we can and are overcoming. The dialects will live just as the local dialects have lived even in as highly developed a country as England. Spanish will endure. We can develop English without lacking in appreciation of either Spanish or the dialects. What we are striving for is to establish the best possible language condition for the people of the islands so there may be a free transmission of ideas and a medium through which all the people can be reached. As it fils now, in order to have a message reach the people of theislands it is necessary to publish it in many different dialects.

GOGEBIC PIONEER DIES

IRONWOOD, Mich.—Frank Blackwell, Sr., an old and well known resident of the Gogebic range, died at his home here, aged 82. He was a native of Cornwall, England.

PLAN 1923 FARM WORK

WASHBURN, Wis.—At a special meeting of the Bayfield county agricultural committee, composed of George Karrow of Cable; L. D. Pease of Barnes, and E. R. Tetzner of Washburn, plans were outlined for the season's activities throughout the county. George S. Briggs, Madison, supervisor of county agents, assisted the committee in making plans for the work.

PURCHASE OF DOCK SITE PLANNED AT SHEBOYGAN

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—A resolution introduced by Alderman Larson is the first step taken by the city council to secure a municipal dock, possession of which is required if the Hill Steamboat company is to make Sheboygan a port of call. The council had already secured an option on a desirable property and Mr. Larson's resolution stipulates that it may be purchased at a price not to exceed $50,000.

FORMER ASYLUM TRUSTEE IS NOW A PATIENT THERE

JEFFERSON, Wis.—John Gates is now confined in the county insane asylum, of which he has been trustee for many years. His successor as trustee, William Trieloff, was appointed by the county board in session here.

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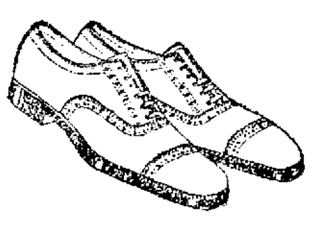

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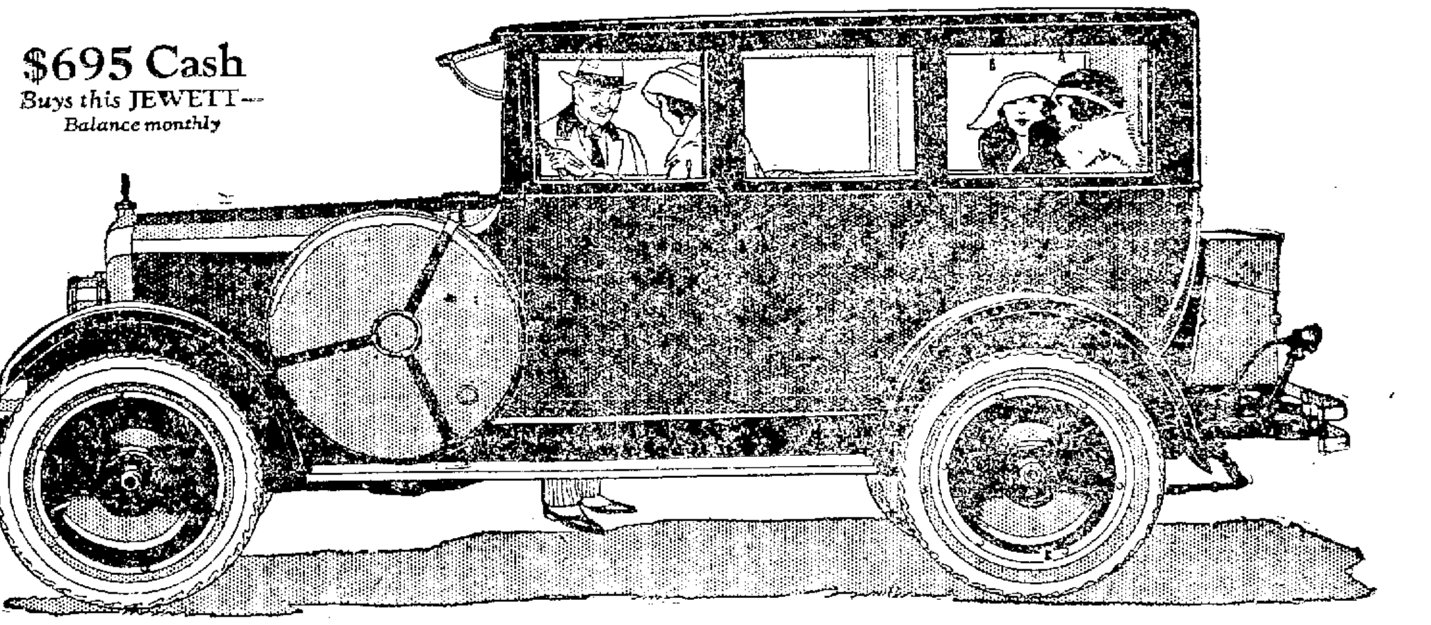

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LOCAL CAGERS WIN SECOND SUCCESSIVE GAME FROM MADISON

UNIVERSITY HIGH TUMBLED BY COACH KEOGAN'S QUINTET

Dazzling Floor Work of Locals Nets La Crosse Victory, 16 to 14

CLEVER DEFENSIVE GAME EXHIBITED BY BOTH TEAMS

La Crosse on Long End of 9 to 6 Score at Half

DISPLAYING a dazzling floor game with which its opponents were unable to cope, the La Crosse high school basketball team captured laurels from Capital City cagers for the second time in two days when University high was defeated Saturday afternoon, 16 to 14.

Madison Central was beaten the day before, 28 to 19, but the Red and Black cagers, desperately intent upon a state championship this year, went back into battle Saturday afternoon at four o'clock with the same fight and determination that characterized their play of Friday. They went through successfully until now but one game, that with Eau Claire next week, remains between the team and an undefeated record in the regular schedule.

Both Good on Defense

While both teams exhibited a defensive game that was effective, the superior floor work of the local squad was bound to assert itself and at the final pistol La Crosse stood on top by two points. Although holding the advantage at the half, 9 to 6, La Crosse was rushed for points at the beginning of the third quarter when University high players sank two fields goals right off the bat.

Reget was inserted for Kosbab in the third quarter and with him La Crosse took on a new spirit which soon culminated in regaining the lead. Reget's work was somewhat responsible for the comeback staged by the Red and Black.

Harget Leads Scoring

Harget again led the scoring for his team, netting three field goals and sinking eight out of ten chances for free points. Weigent added the other two points with a field goal besides giving a good account of himself in the defensive play. For Madison, the scoring was about evenly divided.

But one game remains on the La Crosse schedule before the tournament, that with Eau Claire in the northern city this week-end. Eau Claire has already been defeated by La Crosse on the home floor, 33 to 12, and little difficulty is expected at the coming meeting.

Summary

LA CROSSE

	F. G.	F. T.
Kosbab, rf	0	0
Harget, lf	3	8
[illegible], c	0	0
[illegible], rg	0	0
Weigent, lg	1	0
Reget, rf	0	0
Totals [illegible]		

MADISON

	F. G.	F. T.
[illegible], rf	2	0
[illegible], lf	1	2
[illegible], c	1	0
[illegible], rg	0	0
[illegible], lg	1	0
[illegible]	0	0
[illegible], rf	1	0
[illegible]	0	0
Totals 16		

Referee—Dr. Lowman.

SATURDAY NIGHT BOWLING

Doubles

[illegible] Hunt	169	217	168	
[illegible] Knutson	193	184	175	—1105
[illegible] Weisman	165	173	171	
[illegible] Horn	179	225	187	1100
R. Newburg	172	161	169	
Geo. Kohn	191	180	177	1050
Bud Hanson	163	190	175	
Ed Voight	149	156	213	—1046
J. [illegible] Kobliz	172	172	169	
H. Affeldt	161	179	176	—1029
O. Erickson	142	169	151	
Joe Dockendorff	162	195	156	— 999
[illegible] Roth	176	190	163	
J. Poehling	172	170	165	—1036
W. Shuda	175	172	166	
[illegible] Suerth	155	163	174	—1011
Geo. Mueller	149	176	168	
Wm. Ott	149	172	180	— 994
Geo. Bollrud	163	171	179	
E. Frenz	179	188	174	—1060
J. Mekveld	170	191	174	
A. Mekveld	178	168	175	—1057
Flanagan	162	150	198	
McLeod	159	162	166	1050
Ike Gattendam	160	163	164	
J. C. Burns	160	167	173	957

Singles

Geo. Mueller	192	195	186	573
C. Word	192	172	162	525
E. Muehner	170	223	185	578
J. Kobliz	177	152	171	500
H. Affeldt	170	173	182	525
Ed Voight	164	179	162	505
O. [illegible]	153	155	167	475
J. Weisman	168	196	194	558
Geo. Schneeberger	189	225	182	596
A. J. Weigel	140	163	175	478
Bud Hanson	175	162	193	530
E. Hunt	180	209	213	602
Emil Horn	175	181	171	527
Geo. Kohn	178	156	152	486
R. Newburg	200	170	172	542
H. Horn	188	157	161	506
O. Erickson	204	163	171	538
J. Dockendorff	156	185	182	523
Geo. Bollrud	203	171	231	605
Wm. Ott	228	179	185	592
J. C. Burns	168	190	203	561
Joe Poehling	190	180	158	528
Fred Suerth	174	182	162	518
[illegible]	170	170	165	505
J. Mekveld	172	176	160	508
A. Mekveld	186	174	179	539
W. Shuda	169	165	163	497
Fred Roth	172	165	155	492
Chas. Staddler	198	151	162	511
Sy Knutson	161	171	171	503

EVELETH BEATS DULUTH

EVELETH, Minn.—Eveleth moved into second place in the United States amateur Hockey league race, group No. 2, by defeating Duluth, one to nothing, in a contest that went two extra periods here Saturday.

WHAT MONTAGUES GOT OUT OF THE STATE TOURNEY

With their team score of 2835, the Montague bowling team took $72.50 of the money distributed at the state bowling tournament at Green Bay. That was the cash paid for twenty-second place out of 900 teams.

Miller and Paulson shooting 1139 in the doubles received $9.00 and the latter's 586 in the singles brought him $4.00.

PIN BOYS STILL AT IT IN FIGHT FOR ALLEY TITLE

Some of the scores rolled by the pin boys in their doubles tournament to decide the "fly-weight" championship at the Arcade alleys look like a Smith-Blouin contest. Ferris and Graw rolled a total of 1852 in five games Saturday, while Felton and Bernd rolled 1839. Bernd and Felton still lead in the tourney by 110 pins, but there are still two blocks to decide the championship.

The scores Saturday were: Ferris, 220, 212, 186, 197, 222. Graw, 154, 170, 152, 163, 186. Total, 1852. Felton, 217, 186, 161, 207, 206. Bernd, 168, 177, 180, 174, 163. Total, 1839. Ferris was first with a five game average of over 207, Felton next with an average exceeding 195.

"DOC" HARRIS IS ELECTED CAPTAIN N. D. TRACK TEAM

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—Earl J. "Doc" Harris of Casselton, N. D., was elected captain of the 1923 track team at the University of North Dakota Saturday. Harris is a junior in the engineering department and a letter man in track, football and basketball. He is a pole vaulter.

IOWA WINS DUAL INDOOR TRACK MEET FROM BADGERS, 51-35

IOWA CITY, Iowa.—Iowa university won a western conference dual indoor track meet here Saturday afternoon 51 to 35 from the University of Wisconsin. The victors scored heavily in track events and the Badgers as heavily in the field events.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SPORTS ASSOCIATION HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Every Button Wearer Requested to Turn in Appearance at Big Meeting

AFFILIATED CLUBS ASKED TO SEND REPRESENTATION

Members Asked to Bring up Helpful Suggestions

THE annual meeting of the La Crosse Outdoor Sports Association, to which every wearer of the association button, together with others interested in the work of the organization is invited, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Tuesday night, starting at 7:30 promptly.

To Elect Officers

Outside of the election of officers, chief business of the meeting will be to determine what shall be done at Pettibone lagoon next year. Skaters who have made use of the rink during the past two years are requested to be present at the meeting with suggestions regarding the operation of the rink, and any other matters that may have been overlooked and need attention. The treasurer's report will be heard.

It is requested that organizations such as the La Crosse Ski club and La Crosse Curling club, affiliated with the Outdoor Sports Association, have a representation at the meeting.

At the annual meeting held last February, there were hardly more people present than the board of directors. This year the association makes an appeal to every individual having at any time any connection with the organization in the past years.

Meeting for Members

The meeting is for the members of the association—every button wearer is a member—and it is hoped that a greater number will show interest in the work of the association this year.

If there is any grievance against the policy of the association, any suggestions that may help further activities, come to the meeting Monday night and make yourself heard. The association belongs to its members, and its business is the business of its members.

Come out to the meeting Tuesday night.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

This coming Wednesday night the Y. M. C. A. Volleyball team is planning on invading the Winona Y. M. C. A. to try and bring back to La Crosse another victory. Last year the Winona bunch had every thing their own way but our fellows decided to turn the trick this year. On New Years day they staged a come back by defeating the up-river team three out of four games. Winona "We Think" has been sleeping in the gymnasium ever since, trying to get "physically fit" for the coming encounter. Here's hoping and the best of luck, boys.

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Next Saturday afternoon and night the church athletic league holds its annual indoor track meet in the Y. M. C. A. Starting at 1 o'clock the boys under 18 years of age will compete in the following events: 2-lap and 3-lap races; standing broad jump; running high jump; pull ups and snap under the bar. The boys will be sub-divided into three groups so that the boys of the same size will be competing against each other. In the evening the seniors will hold their events starting at 7 p. m. The events will include the 2-lap; 4-lap; 12 lb. shot put; standing broad jump; running high jump; fence vault. All boys who have not been weighed and measured at the Y. M. C. A. this year must do so before they compete in the track meet.

Reiman's Victory

Wednesday's battle between the Reimans and Caledonia emphasizes again the fact that the Y. M. C. A. and the city boast an independent basketball team that is very unusual in its ability. They had little trouble in winning 39 to 12.

Church League

This week's events in the Church league show no changes in the leadership of the different leagues, but many in the ranks just below. Some unusually good contests were fought to the end. One new league, the handball got under way while one, the Junior basketball, finished its schedule. The standings are here given.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Caledonia	7	1	.875
North Presbyterian	6	2	.750
First M. E.	5	2	.714
First Presbyterian	5	2	.714
Congo	2	5	.286
Baptist	2	5	.286
West Avenue	1	6	.143
Salzer	0	7	.000

HANDBALL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
First Presbyterian	6	0	1000
First M. E.	3	0	1000
West Avenue	3	0	1000
Salzer	3	0	1000
Congo	0	3	.000
Caledonia Street	0	3	.000
North Presbyterian	0	3	.000
Baptist	0	5	.000

VOLLEY BALL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
First M. E.	33	3	.917
First Presbyterian	28	5	.848
Baptist	20	16	.556
Caledonia	20	16	.556
Congo	13	20	.394
Salzer	9	21	.300
West Avenue	9	24	.273
Presbyterian No. 2	3	30	.91

SENIOR BASKETBALL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
First M. E.	6	1	.857
Caledonia	5	1	.833
West Avenue	5	2	.714
First Presbyterian	3	2	.600
English Lutheran	2	4	.333
Baptist	1	5	.167
Salzer	1	5	.167
Congo	0	7	.000

BOWLING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Congo Res.	18	6	.750
First M. E. Res.	17	7	.709
First M. E.	18	9	.667
Bethel	18	9	.667
First Presbyterian	18	9	.667
Caledonia	14	13	.519
North Presbyterian	13	14	.481
English Lutheran	12	15	.444
Salzer	11	16	.407
Congo	11	16	.407
Baptist	6	21	.222
West Ave.	3	24	.111

SENIOR BILLIARDS AND POOL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Congo	15	3	.833
First Presbyterian	14	4	.777
First M. E.	8	4	.667
English Lutheran	8	7	.533
Baptist	4	8	.333
Caledonia	3	12	.200
Bethel	3	15	.167
West Ave.	1	14	.67
North Presbyterian	0	15	.000
Salzer	0	12	.000

INTERMEDIATES BILLIARD, POOL

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Congo	13	5	.722
First M. E.	10	8	.555
First Presbyterian	8	7	.533
North Presbyterian	5	13	.277
Baptist	4	14	.222
Bethel	2	13	.133
West Ave.	1	17	.55
Salzer	0	18	.000

CHESS AND CHECKERS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
First M. E.	13	2	.867
First Presbyterian	13	5	.722
West Ave.	10	5	.667
Congo	8	10	.555
North Presbyterian	2	13	.133
Bethel	2	13	.133
Baptist	1	17	.55
Salzer	0	18	.000

PING PONG

	Won	Lost	Pct.
First M. E.	11	4	.733
Congo	11	4	.733
First Presbyterian	12	6	.667
Salzer	11	7	.611
German Lutheran	3	9	.250
Baptist	1	14	.67
North Presbyterian	0	15	.000

SWEEPSTAKES CUP

First M. E.	7
First Presbyterian	8
Congo	12
Caledonia	15
Bethel	15
North Presbyterian	15
Baptist	17
Salzer	26
West Ave.	28
English Lutheran	29

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Deer	25	8	.758
Tigers	20	10	.667
Moose	15	15	.500
Panthers	13	14	.482
Lions	12	18	.400
Badgers	12	18	.400
Bears	8	22	.267

PURPLE SWIMMERS DEFEAT MINNESOTA, LAST YEAR'S CHAMPS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Northwestern University's swimming team Saturday night defeated Minnesota, last year's western conference champions, 37 to 31. It was Northwestern's fifth victory of the season and Minnesota's first defeat.

Purdue Gymnasts Win

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—Taking first place in every event, Purdue easily defeated Northwestern in a gymnastic meet here Saturday, 749½ to 574½.

VIROQUA DEFEATS ONALASKA AGGIES

The Viroqua city basketball team Friday night defeated the Onalaska Aggies on the latter's floor, 18 to 9.

Wrought iron must reach a heat of 3,950 degrees before it will melt.

SPLITS and BLOWS

GEORGE SCHULTZ, owner of the dry cleaning shop on Fifth street, was doing some wicked work on the alleys the other night, more particularly in cleaning up spares. But then—look at the business he's in.

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There Are Birds Like That

Dear Editor: What is a spendthrift? I am asking this of you to settle a bet. Please be explicit. MISS L. K.

A spendthrift, my dear is a cake-eater who buys you a soda and takes you home on the street car, then hangs around the hall expecting you to bawl him out for being so reckless with his money.

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WHILE eating my noon-day lunch at the usual place last Wednesday, I engaged in conversation with Mrs. Frank Rooney. Knowing that I made it a point to visit the alleys during "bowling hours," and thinking that I had skipped witnessing the Junior league in action Tuesday afternoon, she said: "Why, I bowled so 'punk,' missed all of my easy spares and only made about two strikes in the whole three games. We won two games but it wasn't my fault."

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FRIDAY afternoon the Palette's official coach, Rich Newburg, was giving Mrs. Rooney a few pointers on the game, paying particular attention to the take-off. "Why don't you take fewer steps on the run-way—cut it down to three," Rich offered as a suggestion. "That's all very well," answers "Bud," "I can do that at home in the kitchen, but I can't make it work over here." A 68 single score was the best she could make—using only three steps.

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THE roller skater who falls doesn't always lose his bearings and neither do pool players call their shots what they think of 'em.

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An Apple a Day Keeps the Doctor Away

Dear Editor: Dr. Lovum is making himself entirely too agreeable to my Queenie. What would you advise me to do? M. R.

Send an apple every morning.

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LOST AND FOUND
(Classified ad in Chicago Daily News.)

Automobile and suitcase stolen from Twenty-second and Michigan; liberal reward for return of suitcase. No questions asked. Pullman 9498.

Editor's note: Suitcase probably contained wife's picture.

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FRED SUERT had an awful hard time finding enough come-backs to the kidding he let himself in for the other night when his wife and Mrs. Rich Newburg both topped his 106 score by a couple of strikes. Fred couldn't say a word to either of the women without having the "106" thrown up to him again. The Rivoli Electrics had figured Fred as an average 180 bowler.

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NOTICED John Torrance was all dressed up Friday afternoon and keeping score for the women. They flocked all around John and Mrs. Metcalf even attempted to "borrow" some of his luck by donning his lid for a few frames.

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MRS. KERRIGAN is undoubtedly the most persistent of any of the fair sex bowling at the Arcade alleys. This member of the Dodge Sisters, many have noticed, works on every pin that may have weathered the first ball and is generally considered one of the most consistent woman bowlers.

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On adding the second time I find that—

MRS. Schneeberger should have been given credit for the high three game total in the "best bowlers" column on Saturday instead of Mrs. Harzor. Sorry to have to do this Mrs. Harzor, but figures don't lie and Mrs. Schneeberger's three games total 415.

Neither can Mrs. Bergman claim all the honors for high single game. Mrs. Ford, of the U Tellums, also had 163.

PASSAIC HIGH TEAM WINS 111TH STRAIGHT BASKETBALL CONTEST

PATERSON, N. J.—The world's record for consecutive victories on the floor was equalled Saturday by the Passaic high school basketball team when it defeated the Paterson high school five, 46 to 28. It brought the winners' total to 111 games in four years, a mark established some years ago by the Buffalo Germans of Buffalo, N. Y.

GIRL DRESSED AS BOY IS WINNER IN DOG DERBY RACE

IRONWOOD, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—Disguised as a boy, Josephine Cybulski, 13 years old, won the annual dog derby race here on Thursday. The rules stated that only boys could enter. Judges are undecided about having the race run over again, as Miss Josephine already has the prize.

JOE COLLINS TO MANAGE NEW MONTAGUE BASEBALL CLUB IN COMING SEASON

Outlook at Present Time is for but One Team in La Crosse; Moore Lost to Montague Club; Third-sacker Signs With Dubuque

WHAT is the dope on baseball in La Crosse for the coming year is the question being asked on most every hand where local fans of the pastime chance to congregate.

Is there going to be only one team, two or more teams, or how many? At the present writing there is indication of only one team in the city—the Montagues, who, while they have not fully completed their organization, have announced that Joe Collins, now employed in the Montague shipping department, is to be the new field manager of the club.

Collins Not New Here

Collins needs no introduction to La Crosse fandom for the clever left gardener has on several occasions displayed his wares before local grandstands. Being a clever outfielder, however, is not the extent of Collins' adeptness, for he is equally efficient with the stick, to say nothing of being gifted with a sound baseball head.

LEADS MONTAGUE CLUB THIS YEAR

JOE COLLINS

Collins takes up his new managerial post here with a world of baseball experience on which to rely. Last season he successfully held down his out-field job with the Hibbing, Minnesota, team of the Range league. Claiming La Crosse as his home, Joe was more than glad to line up with a local club this year.

Of the old Montague team, two other men, McCauley and Franzini, are certain to be back, is the word from the Montague camp. The club management is at present scouting for a utility catcher, who may be called behind the plate in case of accident, and who is capable of jungling the high ones in the field.

Moore to Dubuque

A big loss and one that will be difficult to replace in the Montague club this year is that of Bobby Moore, third base, who is listed to go with Dubuque in the spring. Despite all coaxing on the part of his friends and influential baseball men here, Bobby was certain that he wanted to get into new territory this year and took the liberal offer given him by the Iowa club. Bobby was uncovered by the Montagues last season and wound up the year as one of the most popular men on Weigent's club.

Larry Schaefer, short stop with the Nelsons last year, has been signed by the Montague club for this season, it is understood. Larry had been holding off for some time awaiting developments on the north side and finally signed with the Montagues.

Nelsons Disband

Circling about among erstwhile promoters of the Nelson baseball club, there has been no promising indication that the Nelson club will reorganize this season. The disbanding of the Nelson club, having a successful record of twelve years, is to be regretted all over the city. Outside of the passing of a ball club that has fed the national pastime to La Crosse fans during a period of slackness in baseball here, and a bunch of men that have done more than any other group in the interest of the game, the disbanding means that La Crosse will only witness one game a week, in addition to the twilight attractions certain to come in the fore part of the season.

Pay Big Tax

In the face of 10 per cent war tax, and an additional 20 per cent paid to the park commission, it is a difficult proposition for a team that is self-sustaining to make ends meet and give the players a reasonable split to which they are entitled at the end of the year. If a reorganization was affected this year, it was planned to raise sufficient funds through popular subscription to maintain a battery, giving the remaining players a shake at the entire share of the gate receipts.

In view of the abandonment, Nelson managers have suggested that the Montague club take over a number of the former players of the Nelsons, but what arrangement has been made in this regard has not been released by the Montague heads as yet.

Montague officials have been reluctant to sign any of the Nelson men until it is certain that the north siders will not be in the field this season.

WHITE'S MANAGER KICKS IN WITH THE FORFEIT DUE ROCKY

NEW YORK.—Rocky Kansas, Buffalo lightweight, Saturday added a financial victory to the ring verdict he was awarded recently over Charley White of Chicago, at Madison Square Garden. Ike Dorgan, the latter's manager, mailed him a check for $2,500, the forfeit claimed by Kansas when his rival scaled 12 ounces over the limit of 135 pounds.

Claiming that he was not notified properly of Kansas' protest, White carried his case to the state athletic commission. The latter, however, ruled that Kansas was within his rights in claiming the forfeit and ordered White's manager to pay the Buffalo boxer.

PRINCETON MAN BREAKS SHOT PUT RECORD OF WORLD

NEW YORK. — Ralph G. Hills, Princeton, Saturday night broke the world's record for the indoor shot-put at the annual track and field meet of the New York Athletic club, throwing the ball 48 feet, 9 inches.

The former record was made by Pat McDonald of Olympic fame at 47 feet, 6½ inches.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

MADISON, Wis.—Wisconsin, after a zigzagging score, nosed out Purdue university, 20 to 19, in a Big Ten basketball game here Saturday night. The first half ended 9 to 8 with Wisconsin leading after the score had swung back and forth.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Chicago defeated Illinois, 21 to 20, Saturday night in one of the hardest fought basketball games of the Maroons' season. Trailing the Illini 11 to 6 at the close of the half, Chicago launched a vigorous offensive play.

NORTHFIELD, Minn.—Carleton's first division basket tossers defeated Coe college of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, for the second time this year, here, Saturday night.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—St. John's university of Collegeville, Minn., defeated MacAlester college of St. Paul, 29 to 19, at basketball here Saturday night.

WILLIE RITOLA SETS NEW RECORD FOR 5000 SPRINT

NEW YORK.—Willie Ritola, Finnish-American club long distance star, established a new world's record of 15 minutes, 1 1-5 seconds, for the 5,000 meters indoor run at the Brooklyn Evening High school games Saturday night. The old mark of 15:05 4-5 was held by George Bonhag.

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GILL MATCHED WITH ROLLINGER AS MAIN EVENT IN NEXT SHOW

Local Man to Get Comeback at Waterloo Boy Here March 16

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THE American Legion is arranging another good card for its next boxing show which will be held the night of Friday, March 16. It has succeeded in matching Jimmy Gill for a return fight with Lou Rollinger, the sturdy Waterloo boxer who knocked him out in the fifth round of their Cedar Rapids match. Jimmy contends, and he is corroborated by authentic reports from the Iowa city, that he had the best of the mill until he collided with a wild swing that robbed him of his senses.

His First Kayo

It was the first time that the local scrapper had ever received a knockout blow and he wants to wipe out the only defeat that has been marked up against him. The blow was landed in the fourth round and would have stopped the average boy in his class, but Jimmy finished the round in a daze. The one minute rest between the fourth and fifth rounds was not enough to fully restore his faculties, and he went into the fifth bewildered and with his guard down. Rollinger followed up his advantage and administered the sleeping potion.

Gill and his manager are both confident that a contrary verdict will result from the next engagement. This will give local fight fans another opportunity to see Jimmy in his preparatory training, which he will begin about two weeks before the fight.

Charles Sauer Matched

Charles Sauer, the tall, Hokah athlete, will meet Chris Gourdoux in the six-round semi-windup. Gourdoux is the husky Frenchman from Flambeau who fought a good draw with Reynolds in the first American Legion show last fall. He was handicapped with a paralyzed arm after the second round of that fight and declares that he will give even a better account of himself this time.

The preliminary bouts have not been arranged as yet, but Wold says that he will be ready to announce the complete card in a few days. Packey Nolan would like a return match with Young Becker of Hokah and the fans would no doubt like to see these boys try conclusions again, but Becker has been indisposed for a few days and would make no definite statement.

It would add considerable interest to the affair if a couple of local aspirants for fistic honors could be lined up for the curtain raiser. The amateurs generally give the fans a real treat and if both participants were local boys, they would be assured of plenty of support from the audience.

"BOY WIZARD" OF BARNYARD GOLF BEATS VETERANS

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Harold Falor, the "Boy Wizard" horseshoe flinger of Akron, Ohio, defeated the veteran star tossers Saturday afternoon in the final series for the world's championship beating C. C. Davis, ex-champion, 50-18, and Frank Lundin, present title-holder, 50-24.

MILWAUKEEAN SAVES FAMILY

NASHOTA, Wis.—The family of Charles Munson was roused barely in time to escape alive when W. J. Kapitzke, Milwaukee salesman, noticed the house on fire Friday morning. The house was destroyed at a loss of $8,000.

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LA CROSSE HAS 20 IN ROLL OF ARTISTS OF U. S.

Art Association and Study Club Yield Members to Art Who's Who

Artistically, La Crosse has been put on the map. The activity of the Art association, and of the local artists' study club with its annual exhibits, has attracted national attention. The American Federation of Arts recognizes that La Crosse is one of the cities in the country which is really progressing along art lines.

Frances R. Howard, editor of the American Art Manual, is including twenty local names in "Who's Who in Art," a list that will include the breadth of the United States and which will have nationwide circulation. These are all La Crosse people, and the majority contributed to local exhibits.

The names which are to be used by the Art Manual are:

D. O. Coate, Mrs. W. D. Babb, R. Blatter, Miss Harriet Buell, C. W. Dickinson, Miss Mary Drummond, Mrs. Gertrude Tausche Gorman, Mrs. Robert Hackner, Robert Hackner Michael Hackner, Mrs. Jesse Higbee, Mrs. E. C. Josten, Norman F. Kinservick, Rudolph Kvelve, William McDonough, Hubert Morley, Leighton Oyen, Mrs. Claude Pettingill, Carl Rau, and Miss Flora Von Coellen.

Local News

Dance, Yeomen hall, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Clow are confined to their home with illness.

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Don D. Mac Millan, son of the late Allan Mac Millan of this city, who died at Chicago and was buried Friday in Oak Grove cemetery, was a nephew of Mrs. Harry E. West, 1612 King street. Mr. Allan Mac Millan was a brother of Mrs. West.

Sunday special, "Whitehouse Brick." Composed of Vanilla Ice Cream with cherries throughout. At your dealer. Tri-State Ice Cream Corporation.

Miss Julia Stupka, 819 Winnebago street, is visiting in the twin cities for a few days.

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Mr. Gage Staats of Milwaukee, is spending a few days with his parents here.

Ruth Chapter No. 23 O. E. S. will give a card party Wednesday evening, 7:30, Feb. 28. N. S. Masonic Temple Masons and families invited. Admission 25c.

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Mr. Ed Harget is visiting in Madison.

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Miss Faye Shafer, 400 Car street, has returned from a visit in Tomah.

Zoellner String Quartette, Normal school auditorium, Saturday evening, March 3, at 8:15. General admission $1.00.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Rivoli Bg.

Classes in private secretarial and banking courses are forming at the Tri-State Keefe Business College. Students may join at any time. Personal attention. Rapid promotion. Success assured. Fully accredited. Call, phone or write for further information.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fanning and daughter, Mary Rita, are spending the week end with his mother in Sparta.

Pythian Sisters meeting, Monday, Feb. 26. Short business session followed by cards for members and invited friends. Lunch.

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Mrs. A. Rambath underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lutheran hospital.

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Mr. R. A. Hammond, who is confined at the Grand View hospital, is recovering.

Roller skating this afternoon and evening at Governor's Guards Rink. 2:30 and 7:30.

Mr. G. H. Krell, 1617 Liberty street, is ill at his home.

Have your will examined by Coatley, courthouse. Important. No charge.

Mrs. E. J. Fitzpatrick has returned to her home, 1829 Wood street, after visiting in Chicago.

Memory is good—but a Photograph is better. Motl Studio.

Miss Judith Johnson, a nurse at Grand View hospital, is spending a week in Sparta.

GODET MODELS

The godet frock, with circular panels at one or both sides, and the drapery gathered into a large chou, is popular for spring, in spite of its winter vogue. It is particularly adapted to satins and crepes.

PLEATED SKIRTS

The accordion-pleated skirt evidently is to take a prominent place in spring and summer fashions. It is seen with Eton jackets, and with jacquette blouses and sweaters in silk or in wool crepes.

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DR. KNUT H. HOUCK AND GLADYS WALTER OF CANTON MARRIED

DR. AND MRS. Knut Houck passed through the city recently on their way to Rochester, Minn., where they will be at home to their friends in the Reiter Appartment. Dr. Houck will be with the Mayo Foundation.

Dr. Knut Hoegh Houck, son of Dr. Mary Piper Houck, 112 South Eleventh street, was married February seventh, to Miss Gladys Rosamond Walter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walter of Canton, O. It was a handsome church function. Dr. Houck was raised in this city and is a popular young man in a large circle of friends, who will be pleased to offer felicitations.

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Afternoon Coffees

ON WEDNESDAY Mrs. F. A. Douglas was a delightful hostess at afternoon coffee. The rooms were prettily attired in yellow jonquils and pink sweet peas, exhaling a breath of spring, although it was chilly without. The assisting ladies were Mesdames Irvin Kircher, L. W. Eidam and John B. Coleman.

On the following day Mrs. Douglas again entertained, having with her Mrs. Kircher, also as hostess. Mrs. Eidam and Mrs. Coleman assisted. Thirty guests were entertained each day.

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Spangler-Blatter

ANN ELIZABETH Blatter was united in marriage to Barney A. Spangler at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Blatter, 2223 Main street on Thursday, February 22. The wedding was a very quiet one, Rev. Frank Stucki of St. John's Reformed church officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Spangler left Thursday for an extended trip to the twin cities and other points. They will be at home after April 1 at their home, 2215 Main street. The bride is well known in La Crosse and has for the last few years been a teacher in the city schools.

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MRS. E. N. NELSON and Mrs. Clara Nelson entertained the N. B. B. B. O. O. Birthday club at the home of the latter, 2103 Loomis street, on Friday.

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Miss Muenster Arrives

AN EIGHT pound daughter was born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Muenster, 2512 Cass street, at the La Crosse hospital.

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At the Tea Rooms

MRS. G. T. Simonson entertained three tables of five hundred at the tea rooms on Thursday afternoon. Favors for high scores were won by Mrs. C. A. Hoeschler, Mrs. L. R. Simonson and Mrs. J. P. Coughlin.

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Sleighride Parties

THE FOLLOWING members of the T. S. club enjoyed a sleighing party Thursday night: Misses Ida Olmascher, Florence and Louise Schaller, Frieda Bertkow, Myrtle Retz, Marie and Doris Ahrens and Messrs Walde Debrunz, Allie Neumen, Walter Affeldt, Albert Streleo, John Richels, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Horn. The party went beyond Onalaska and returned to the Y. W. C. A. where refreshments were served.

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Master George Kachel entertained a group of young friends at a sleighride party Wednesday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. After the ride the party went to the home of the host where games were played and dainty refreshments were served. In the party were Misses Avonelle Noss, Elizabeth Torrance, Dorothy Howard, Ruth Lyon, Dorothy Baker, Irene Kachel, Mary Hancock and Masters Jack Thornton, Meredith Torrance, Will Brooke Sherman, Milton Contenbein, Cyril Packman and Charles Olson. Miss Stella Ottum chaperoned the party.

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Surprise Party

MRS. GEORGE Martinek, 1232 South Fifteenth street, was pleasantly surprised at her home Friday night in compliment to her birthday, by a party of friends. Music and dancing furnished the diversion of the evening and luncheon was served. Mrs. Martinek was presented with a table runner. In the party were Messrs and Mesdames George Weber, Frank Larkin, William Hanson, Paul Noefke, Harold Lande, Fred Jierkop, Arthur Grosskop, C. G. Hyland, Mrs. Charles Main and Master Jimmie Hanson.

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Birthday Party

LITTLE MISS Sylvia Werth, 2307 South Thirteenth street, entertained at a merry party on Thursday in honor of her tenth anniversary. Games were played and the young hostess was showered with pretty gifts. In the party were the Misses Evelyn Michel, Violet Gundlach, Helen Gooden, Odetti Esperseth, Beverly Jansky, Corrine Foster, Florence Boech, Fayne Whipple, Regnia and Roselind Werner, Dorothy Paar, Mildred Polachek, Esther Moen, Loraine and Irene Heubner, Marie and Ruth Schmidt, Harriet, Carol and Velera Mass, Lillian and Julia Stair, Leona, Julietta, Arthur, Esther and Leroy Werth.

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Birthday Surprise

MRS. WILLIAM Breidel, 613 South Eighth street, was given a surprise party Monday afternoon in token of her birthday. Twenty-four guests were in attendance. Luncheon was served.

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Club Meeting

MRS. ROBERT Post entertained the members of the Merry Clique at her home, 1612 Wood street, Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent with needle work and a dainty lunch was served.

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Birthday Festivity

ON WASHINGTON'S birthday Mrs. Paul Letz entertained at her home, 517 South Fourth street for a bevy of young misses in compliment to the eighth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Barbara, who shares in the honors of the great day. The decorations and the favors were all in token of the date. A dainty birthday luncheon was served. The guests were: the Misses Marguerite and Mary Ann Gantert, Mildred Hofweber, Sailonie Guillaume, Irene Jamieson Catherine, Viola and Clairnetta Steinmetz, Mary Etta Tanfield, Louise and Mary Jane Ross, Eleanor Wolfe, Catherine, Bernice and Adeline Hammschild.

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Personal Mention

MRS. Fred Sobek, 133 Seventeenth Place, has as her guests her sister Mrs. Frank Bailey of Minneapolis, and Mrs. F. J. Rosenthal of Decorah, Ia.

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MRS. ALMA Nelson is here from Montana making an extended visit among friends.

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MR. AND MRS. A. F. Evenson of St. Paul are week-end guests at the home of Mr. Evenson's brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. H. Clay Evenson, 223 South Sixteenth street.

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Announcements

THE SECOND Division of the Ladies Aid society of the Caledonia Street Methodist church will serve supper at the church parlors on Tuesday from 5 o'clock on until all are served.

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THE WOMEN'S Auxiliary of Christ Episcopal church meets with Mrs. A. Hansen, 443 South Twenty-First street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

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THE LADIES Circle of St. Paul's Universalist church will hold its regular meeting at the church parlors, Eighth and Cass street, Thursday afternoon. A picnic supper will be served.

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THE MEMBERS of the Tabea Circle of the Salzer Memorial church will be entertained by Mrs. K. W. Dickens and Mrs. H. C. Merman at the home of the latter, 1223 South Fourteenth street, Tuesday evening.

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THE LA CROSSE Women's club will hold its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. F. Sexauer, 1421 State street. Mrs. Edwin C. Dixon will give a paper on the life of Peter.

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THE POSTPONED card party of the Sons of Veterans will be held Monday evening at the rooms in the court house.

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VESPER SERVICES at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday will be in charge of ladies of Our Savior's Lutheran church. Miss Margaret Haberman of the Normal faculty, formerly in missionary work in Japan, will speak of her experiences, appearing in Japanese costume. There will be special music, and Vesper Tea will follow the service.

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THE LADIES Aid society of the German Lutheran church, corner West and Cameron Avenues, will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the parlors of the church by Mesdames G. Berke, W. Zierke, L. Oeschig, William Tanke and A. Haniff.

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DR. PAMMEL IN TALK ON STATE LITERARY STARS

"SOME of Wisconsin's greatest writers have been scientific writers, and the greatest of the others have been those who portrayed pioneer life, as Hamlin Garland did," said Dr. Louis H. Pammel in an address on "Some Wisconsin Writers," before the La Crosse Woman's club Saturday evening, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Lueck, 333 Rose street. "Many of these big Wisconsin writers have been known well in La Crosse, and some of them made La Crosse their home for a period of time, at least."

A La Crosse Pioneer

Dr. Pammel is head of the department of Botany at Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, where he has taught for 34 years. He is originally from La Crosse, and in the early days knew many of La Crosse's interesting people. The University of Wisconsin is his Alma Mater, and his connection with many of the men who have made the university's scientific history, qualifies him to speak with authority. Dr. Pammel has himself contributed much to the science of botany with his works on weeds, poisonous plants, and grasses.

Praises Col. Woodward

Among the writers discussed by Dr. Pammel were Col. Gilbert M. Woodward, August Steinlein, Edward Lee Green, Dr. J. A. Renggley and Hamlin Garland, all familiar names to La Crosse; Roland D. Irving, Dr. T. C. Chamberlain, C. R. Van Hise and Increase Allan Lapham.

Of Mr. Woodward, Dr. Pammel said: "Perhaps the greatest linguist the state of Wisconsin ever had was G. M. Woodward of the La Crosse bar, and the firm of Losey and Woodward. He did much in the way of enlightening the foreign born in the neighborhood of La Crosse, because he could converse with them in their own speech. I well remember Mr. Woodward making an address before the old Saengerbund."

JABOT DRAPERIES

Jabot draperies are featured on many of the frocks of printed silk. This drapery is quite as apt to run from neckline to hem in the back as it is to seek a place at the front or side. Frequently it is of chiffon or georgette the tone of the frock.

PAISLEY VEILS

The Paisley influence having impressed itself everywhere else in the mode has now invaded the field of veils. Some of the newest ones are in Paisley patterns, or are banded with colorful Paisley chiffon.

OLD STYLE REVIVED

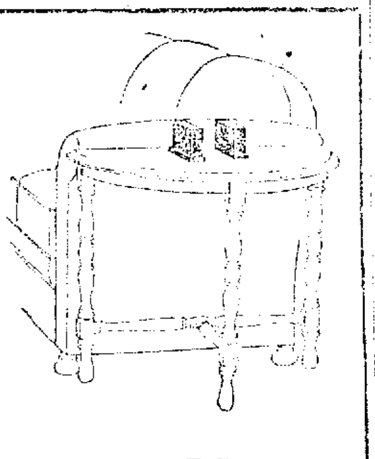
The bertha effect has developed into the shoulder drape so popular in Civil War times. Frequently it is caught up with an old-fashioned brooch and the ends allowed to hang to the waistline.

GRAY AND CORAL

A gown of gray Spanish lace is draped over a slender sheath of gray satin, and adorned with a girdle composed of coral beads. A lace panel hangs from shoulder to hem in the back.

TIES AND SASHES

Ties and sashes are the favorite methods of closing the newest model coats. Usually the bow comes far to the side, over the hip, leaving the front very flat and straight. Even the short coats follow this formula.



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THE girls pictured above are some of the best bakers in town, according to Mrs. I. O. Holley, head of the home economics department in the city schools in La Crosse. Logan school girls have won prizes for home economics work in three successive years, and bread making has been a part of the contest, which was also decided by general cooking and sewing averages. Esther Hill, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hill, 1222 Logan street, won the first prize of $5 in this general contest in February. This meant that her home economics standing was exceptionally high.

In the same contest, Jennie Rasmussen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rasmussen, 1616 Kane St., also Logan school pupil, entered the best loaf of bread. Two Lincoln school girls, Jane Crook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Crook, 1513 Market street, and Louise Stensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Stenson, 521 Winnebago street, made the best bread in a similar contest last June.

THINGS MUSICAL

By H. MARGARET JOSTEN

Zoellner-Quartet At Normal School

The lecture committee of the Normal school has made a wise choice in securing a substitute for the Letz Quartet which was unable to appear here because of the illness of Mr. Letz. The well known and well liked Zoellner Quartet has been engaged for a concert on next Saturday evening, March third. The patrons of the course presumably had their minds fixed upon a quartet for the remaining musical number. It was thoughtful and sensible of the management to spare them disappointment.

The Zoellner quartet has always received the most favorable criticism from the most judicious authorities. Their perfect ensemble, the vivid warmth of their playing and many other qualities have been much praised. The program they have chosen which includes Quartet Op. 125 No. 1, Schubert; Serenade Tendre Op. 61, Jongen; Orientale Op. 15, from the Five Novelties, Glazounoff; A Dream, Haydn; Scherzo, Napravnik and Nocturne from Second Quartet by Borodine promises to provide the patrons of the Normal school lecture course with a delightful evening of chamber music.

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Gilbert Ross Returns

Gilbert Ross, young violinist of Madison whose then prospective European debut was referred to in this column some months ago, has just returned to America. He met with conspicuous success in Germany, critics, notably those of Munich, speaking of him warmly. "Gilbert Ross," they say, "will soon belong to the elect of his kind. Spirit and temperament have been well mated, artistic insight being wedded to warmth of feeling." "He will be an acknowledged and honored guest in Munich hereafter."

Gilbert Ross is a son of Professor Ross of the University of Wisconsin, and is an Auer pupil. He will make his American debut at Town Hall, New York, on March 13.

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SCHOOL GIRLS COMPETE ON BUTTONHOLES

New Sort of "Athletics" Introduced Here in Upper Grades

BUTTONHOLE contests are the latest diversion among some of the Eighth grades in the city, according to Miss Clara W. Bellhorn, teacher of sewing in the public schools. Such a contest has just been finished in the Hogan school. Each girl in the sewing class presents finished buttonholes, and a jury of teachers pronounces who shall be the winner.

Helen Bauman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bauman, 1621 Madison street, did the best sewing in her class this February, according to the judgment of four teachers in the Hogan school: Miss Susan Campbell, Miss Marian Wheeler, Miss Josephine Kohn and Miss Nettie Hall. The prize was an emery bag, presented by Miss Bellhorn.

SPANISH OMELET

A Lenten Dish

BY BERTHA E. SHAPLEIGH
Of Columbia University

Take two tablespoons each of good oil and chopped onion, a clove or bean of garlic, chopped, two cups of canned or four fresh tomatoes, peeled and cut into small pieces, one teaspoon each of salt and paprika, a quarter pound of fresh mushrooms, eight olives, stoned and cut into strips, five eggs, five tablespoons water or milk and salt and pepper.

Cook the onion and garlic in the oil for five minutes, being careful not to brown. Add tomatoes, sugar, salt and paprika, and cook slowly for half an hour, or until quite thick. Wash, peel, and cut into pieces the mushrooms and cook in a little butter for five minutes. Add to the tomatoes, and at the same time add the olives.

When the tomato mixture is ready make the omelet.

Beat the eggs very slightly with a fork, add water or milk, salt and pepper. Heat the frying or omelt pan, add oil, and pour into this the eggs. Move the pan frequently as the eggs set, and, with a knife, raise it from the bottom of the pan, allowing the uncooked part of the egg to touch the pan. In this way the egg does not become hard, but remains creamy. When only a very little egg remains in a liquid state loosen around the edges and fold over two or three times. Turn into a hot platter and pour the tomato around it. Garnish the top of the omelet with a few sprigs of parsley or watercress.

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ENGLISHWOMAN LECTURES UPON EARLY THEATER

Miss Elizabeth Drew at Congregational Church for College Club

THE College Club of La Crosse has embarked upon a pleasant line of educational endeavor in bringing to La Crosse for its own enjoyment and that of its friends Miss Elizabeth A. Drew of England, who will speak tomorrow evening, February 26, on "The Elizabethan Theater and Audience." The parlors of the Congregational church are to be used on this occasion instead of the kindergarten room of the Normal school as was first announced.

Miss Drew is in America to give, she says, lectures on "literature and life." It is said of her that besides her gifts and attainments in the intellectual field which make her lectures valuable she has the art of treating her subject from the human point of view which makes it a pleasure to people of the most varied interests.

An Oxonian

Herself an interesting woman, Miss Drew is a graduate of Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford, with first class honors in English language and literature. She was for three years lecturer at Girton college, Cambridge and from 1919 to 1921 head of the women's staff of the department of education of the British army of the Rhine. She is a contributor to some of the foremost magazines of England and America.

The College club has made no attempt to conduct a general sale of tickets. The members have simply had the privilege of purchasing such tickets as they desire and of giving them to their friends. However, the club wishes it to be understood that anyone who is interested in the lecture will be welcomed and that it is possible for such persons to secure tickets for themselves by telephoning to Miss Dorothy Wing, 728-C, address 1102 King street.

Following the lecture an informal reception will be held at which time people will have an opportunity to meet and chat for a few moments with Miss Drew.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

USE A FORK

If you will prick the skins of apples with a fork before putting them

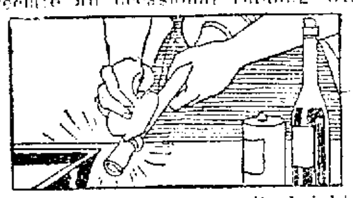
in to bake, they will not burst and will retain their shape.

FOR PATENT LEATHER

Clean your patent leather shoes with milk or a little sweet oil. If the shoes have been wet and the leather has hardened, soften them with vaseline.

BRIGHTENING UP BRASS

Your brass candlesticks will appreciate an occasional rubbing with



vinegar and salt. It will brighten antique brass without giving the appearance of having been polished

GOOD FOR SERGE

If your blue serge suit has become shiny, sponge it with hot vinegar and press it on the wrong side, using a fairly hot iron.

CHICKEN AND CELERY

When preparing your fowl for a chicken salad, cut the meat with a knife instead of chopping it with a chopping knife. Do the same with celery.

ADD A LITTLE SUGAR

When preparing roast beef, add a little sugar to the water you use for basting, and it will give it a rich brown color as well as a decided flavor.

VANITY CASE

An unusual vanity case is the shape of a butterfly with spread wings, studded with colorful stones and equipped with a black cord so that it may be worn about the wrist.

SPRING COAT

A very smart coat for spring is of biscuit-colored taffeta trimmed with bands of corded silk and a fluffy collar of blue fox.

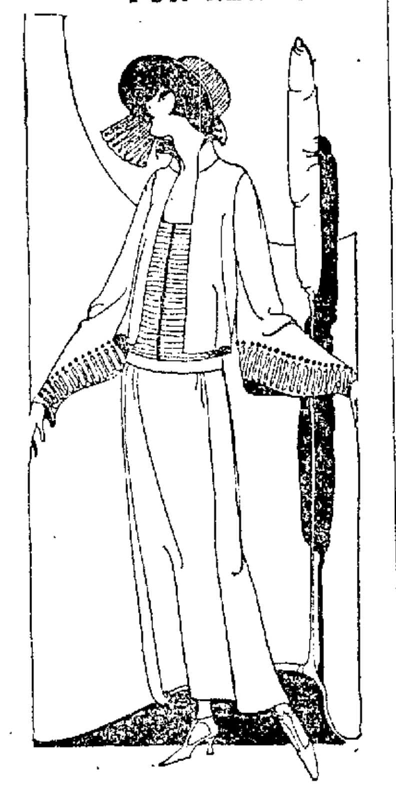
BRIGHT RED JACKET

A bright red jacket, closely belted, is worn with a skirt of black crepe, accordion pleated, and a black cape lined with biege.

GOOD MANNERS

When a bachelor gives a dinner to which women are invited there must be a chaperon. If there is a guest of honor she is seated at the host's right; otherwise this seat is the chaperon's. Usually it is largely upon her good judgment and influence that the affair's success depends, and the host should thank her cordially upon her departure.

NEVER TOO EARLY FOR NEW GOWN



First spring models to appear are dresses; they can be worn under concealing winter coats. Next come wraps and suits; finally, tailored one-piece dresses with which no outer garment is worn.

Early models include dresses of wool, crepe, twill, satin, canton crepe and many novelty fabrics in silk and wool. Embroidery is used to trim them, and braided dresses are very smart.

Styles are simple, with a slight tendency toward higher waistlines—nearly back to normal—and straight chemise frocks.

Sleeves on daytime dresses nearly all are wrist length.

INDIAN FATALLY HURT IN PARK FALLS PLANT

PARK FALLS, Wis.—Nelson E. Crow, Odanah, a Chippewa Indian, died of injuries sustained in the plant of the Park Falls Lumber company. Crow was caught in heavy machinery and his leg crushed to the hip.

HATS FOR EVENING

Evening hats are said to be the rage in Paris, worn with sleeveless, low-cut frocks. They are of gold or silver lace, satin or malines, and usually have transparent brims.

SIMPLE FROCK

A frock of unusual simplicity and unusual chic is a bodice of black satin joined to a bouffant skirt of silver lace and trimmed with a large cockade of pink and silver ribbon.

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Here's a new way for all fat people to laugh together at that old bugaboo—Obesity. The saying that "there is nothing new under the sun" does not now apply to fat people any more. Here is something new for them—a new sensation, a new pleasure, a new and graceful figure, easily found by anyone who is passing beyond the limits of slimness. Everyone has heard of the Marmola Prescription; that harmless combination of fat-defying elements perfected by one of the foremost physicians. Now, from the same high authority, there comes another idea—the idea of condensing these same pure, harmless ingredients into a pleasant little tablet. Taken after eating and at bedtime, they help the stomach to dispose of all the fatty foods, converting them into compact, solid flesh, muscle and energy, without dieting or exercise. Marmola Prescription Tablets regulate the entire system—do for you what bodily exertion and self-denial can not do, and the fat, once routed, is gone for good. You can prove all this at a trifling cost. Marmola Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists or sent postpaid by the Marmola Company, 4512 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich. A case—sufficient to bring results—is but one dollar.

SEX EQUALITY IMPOSSIBLE IS ROYDEN VIEW

CLEVELAND.—Women never will attain equality with men in politics, business or other interests outside the home. Yet the men of America treat their countrywomen more like equals than ever they have been treated before—more like equals than they are treated by the men of any other land.

These are the conclusions of Miss Agnes Maude Royden, noted London preacher, a visitor in the United States. She reaches them in the light of long experience and active participation in women's affairs in her own country.

"Your men's attitude toward women," she says, "is the most civilized in the world. Women are treated here more as human beings, more like equals, than anywhere else.

It's Only Social

"But that is socially.

"Outside of social relationship, women cannot be men's equals.

"Take business, politics, religion, art. The women who equal men in these fields always must be in a minority, because children have the first claim on women. Their vital forces always will go, as now, into the making, not of art and politics, but of men and women."

This does not mean, Miss Royden adds, that women should refrain from any part in public affairs. In fact, she herself has been active in the English movement for wider recognition of representatives of her sex.

JURY FREES MAN TRIED FOR MURDER OF STENOGRAPHER

RICHMOND, Va.—By The Associated Press.—Thomas Pollard, real estate broker, was found not guilty by a jury Friday night of the murder of his former stenographer, Mrs. Thelma Ham Richardson, who was shot to death in front of the Pollard home on December 11 last.

LEGION POST TO BUILD

SPENCER, Wis.—Lee F. Pickett post, American Legion, will erect a combined club house and community center building in this city. Cost of construction will be low, as members of the post will do the common labor and hauling of materials. Several hundred dollars have been raised for the building fund. Plans call for a sixty by 100 foot structure of brick and tile with basement under part of the building.

SAPPHIRE BLUE

Sapphire blue braid is used to form an elaborate design about the cuffs and hem of a blue Poiret twill suit. The jacket is lined with crepe de chine to match the braid.

RAFFIA FLOWERS

Raffia flowers, in vivid shades of red, yellow and blue, are used to trim the pockets and sleeves of a smart sport dress of white crepe de chine.

RAFFIA HATS

Raffia is used for entire hats, worked in a latticed pattern for the crown and brim, and flat roses applied on the underbrim for color.

SHAWL NEGLIGEES

Indian shawl effects are noticed in negligees and lounging robes. They are colorful and lend themselves beautiful to artistic drapery.

The Topaz derives its name from a group of islands in the Red sea called Topazes.

AS IN HISTORIC DAYS

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THEY SAY....

THAT the D. A. R.'s Washington birthday party at the Stoddard Thursday noon was a real social event. This picture of the Music Study club people, who dressed up in historical costumes and presented the musical program, gives a little idea of how pretty it was. Mrs. Whelpley was the sweetest civil war belle you ever heard of—and she didn't look a minute over twenty. Mrs. Watkins looked a perfect Puritan picture with her spinning wheel; and Mrs. Curtis and Miss Miller, in their revolutionary gowns, made everybody wish the fashion dictators would bring panniers back again to stay.

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Miss Helen Dorset's original verses, with which she, as Prologue, introduced each number of the program, captured the listeners with their versatility in rhyme and diction as the theme changed from period to period of history, and the charm of the reader's personality and delivery lent additional grace to the rendition.

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Mrs. John Bayer, chairman of arrangements, produced a Washington's birthday party which will long be remembered in the anuals of the La Crosse chapter.

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Washington's birthday reminds up of the small boy story, brand new and vouched for by one of our honest La Crosse educators: Tommy has been attending kindergarten for almost a year, and he has become accustomed to the usual ice cream and cake and other festive joys whenever one of his school mates has a birthday. The other day he came home from school looking puzzled.

When asked why, he exclaimed: "Aw, one of the fellows at school—I don't know which one he is, but his name's Lincoln—had a birthday. And it was some birthday—no ice cream or anything. They just sat around and talked about it. The guy wasn't even there. I'm glad I'm not him. We had eats for my birthday."

FRONT DRAPERY

Front drapery is very stylish, and now we even find sashes gathered loosely over the hips and tied directly in the front.

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"It's just plain scare," says Miss Taylor, "that's kept us from decorating our homes in bright colors. True, color can be used unwisely, but at that, isn't it better to have a rip-roaring good time in an emerald green gown, even if it is a little out of taste, than to be perfectly proper in black—and miserable?

Don't Overdo Matters

"Of course there are some rooms, perhaps, that ought to be decorated restfully, but who wants a whole house to be subdued and somnolent!

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MOVIES

AMUSEMENT CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

RIVOLI

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday—Eight acts of Orpheum vaudeville and Mary Miles Minter in "Drums of Fate," and International News.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday—"Mighty Lak' a Rose," and Emile M. Coue in his only motion picture, "The Message of Emile Coue," Fun From the Press and International News.

MAJESTIC

Sunday matinee—Hoot Gibson in "Riding Wild"; two reel Century comedy, "Small Town Derby." Sunday night—Arthur Harrison's comedy players in a late comedy play and Hoot Gibson in "Riding Wild."

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—Betty Compson, Richard Rosson and Lon Chaney in "For Those We Love," and Arthur Harrison's comedy players in a new play.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday—Arthur Harrison's comedy players and Herbert Rawlinson, Melbourne McDowell and Harriett Hammond in "Confidence." Two reel comedy, "Sting 'em Sweet."

"RIDIN' WILD"

"Ridin' Wild!"

It is a fancy-catching title, and Edward (Hoot) Gibson will do the riding for which he is famous across the screen of the Majestic theater today. Sans guns and the cactus, it is said that the story might be laid in any small town in the Middle West or the effete East.

The story concerns a coward, a young fellow whose mother adores him too much and by her insistence on doing things for him and keeping him out of rough contacts with the world makes a "sissy" of him. It is a definite characterization, not simply a "part," as many roles on the screen are.

"FOR THOSE WE LOVE"

In Betty Compson's latest production "For Those We Love," playing at the Majestic Theater, Monday this new star in the screen firmament has laid aside the trappings of society and appears as a simple country girl. In this story by Perley Poore Sheehan, which was directed by Arthur Rosson, there are sufficient thrills to keep the most sophisticated photoplay enthusiast in continuous suspense.

Miss Compson is the centre of a complicated plot in which her shiftless brother is saved from the disgrace his actions deserve by the sacrifices of an outcast in the town, whom she had befriended. The outcast is played by Lon Chaney with all the finesse that he is known for.

"DRUMS OF FATE"

Every one a celebrity. This can truly be said of the supporting cast which was assembled to play with Mary Miles Minter in her latest Paramount vehicle, "Drums of Fate," which was adapted by Will M. Ritchey from the novel by Stephen French Whitman, and which will be the feature at the Rivoli theater today, Monday and Tuesday.

Maurice B. ("Lefty") Flynn, the leading man, achieved fame before coming to the screen as Yale's medal-winning athlete and All-American fullback. However, he has even overshadowed his athletic record by his screen laurels since becoming an actor.

George Fawcett, pioneer legitimate actor and one of the distinguished leaders in the field of screen character portrayal plays Felix Brantonie.

Equally notable in his respective niche as a screen villain is Robert Cain, who essays a unique character part in this story. Casson Ferguson, the "disappointed lover of the screen," who, along with Cain, has been seen in many Paramount pictures again lives up to his title in this production.

Then there's Bertram Grassby, accomplished heavy and character actor who was also seen in "Borderland," and many other notable pictures, and Noble Johnson, the big Indian actor who in the new story plays the native king of an African tribe.

"MIGHTY LAK' A ROSE"

A fine cast apears in the new Edwin Carewe production, "Mighty Lak' a Rose," to be shown next Wednesday at the Rivoli Theatre.

In this cast are Dorothy Mackaill, a pretty young English girl, who has been appearing lately in the Ziegfeld Follies; James Rennie, leading man in "Shore Leave;" Sam Hardy, who is supporting Lenore Ulric in "Kiki"; Anders Randolf, Helene Montrose, Paul Panzer and Harry Short.

"Mighty Lak' a Rose" is a crook play. The story is a battle of a violin in the hands of a beautiful and innocent girl, against wayward souls.

COUE ON SCREEN

"The Message of Emile Coue," the motion picture in which M. Coue gives his message of healing by means of conscious auto-suggestion, will be shown at the Rivoli Theatre Wednesday.

The picture is the only one in which M. Coue appears, and the only one which was authorized by him. It is from a scenario prepared under his supervision, and is a graphic illustration of the means whereby anyone can master auto-suggestion. It is a picturization of many of the examples and experiments outlined in M. Coue's lectures and cited in his work on self-mastery.

"CONFIDENCE

Harriet Hammond, former bathing beauty, has at last achieved an ambition of years to appear as leading lady in a serious drama. She is the chief support of Herbert Rawlinson in "Confidence," which plays at the Majestic Thursday. As a rule the fair and shapely maidens of the bathing style pictures fail lamentably when given a chance to do heavy parts, but Miss Hammond is the exception to the rule.

In "Confidence," Herbert Rawlinson has another of the delightfully entertaining stories built around the activities of a band of gentlemanly crooks the type story in which he has been given unstinted praise by critics from coast to coast.

Throughout there runs the strands of a sermon that should be taken to heart by everyone, and that is that the way to succeed in life is to have confidence that whatever constructive work you undertake is bound to go through.

RIVIERA TODAY

Dynamite and Charles Jones—that is descriptive of the swift action in the Fox production, "Boss of Camp Four," at the Riviera theatre today. The finish of the screen offering shows Jones touching off a powder charge that blows up an entire mountainside. The story, dealing with the construction of a road, is a series of thrilling scenes, one more startling than the other. There is adventure and romance, just enough to give quickened interest to the tale. Playing opposite Jones is a glorious girl. Fritzi Brunette's charm adds much to the virile performance given by Jones.

HAROLD LLOYD SCORES ANOTHER KNOCK OUT

"Dr. Jack" is a delicious conglomeration of everything one could hope for in a super-comedy. And everything seems entirely new. Lloyd's box of tricks seems everlasting and one never knows what to expect, except that the next laugh will be louder than the first. As a fun-maker, Mr. Lloyd has reached the pinnacle, but in "Dr. Jack" he has also established himself as a runner-up for honors with the screen's greatest lovers, as his love scene with Mildred Davis is one of the most delightful ever witnessed.

Besides all this, "Dr. Jack" contains a real story—a story with a serious undertone of a girl's struggle for health. The girl is played, of course, by Mildred Davis, and she aids Lloyd charmingly in the sentimental vein of the comedy. The uproarious part of the offering comes when Lloyd, as the young doctor, begins his campaign to oust the eminent but unscrupulous physician from the girl's household. Then the fun is fast and furious with laughter piling up faster every moment.

The comedy is at the Casino theatre today until Wednesday.

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LA CRESCENT NOTES

LA CRESCENT, Minn.—The 3rd number of the Lyceum course was given at the hall Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schlabach, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. George Lotus and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Smith enjoyed a sleigh ride party to the home of Thomas Byrns in Pine Creek Tuesday evening.

On Thursday afternoon a miscelaneous shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fokema in honor of their daughter, Tillie a bride of the month.

Mrs. Charley Welkel of Beloit, Wis., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Harris.

Wm. Atkinson has purchased a new phonograph.

FLORENCE, Wis.—Walter Vassar, employed for many years at the Florence mine, has been appointed master mechanic at the Bates mine at Iron River.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Through the initiation of the Y. M. C. A., "Fathers and Sons Week" was celebrated in the city during the period just closing. This year eight churches held Fathers and Sons banquets. Nearly all the churches last Sunday had some part of their program, in many cases sermons, upon the vital relation of son and father.

Perhaps the finest occasion of the week was when 40 of the boys who attend vocational school came to the Y. M. C. A. building for a banquet and program. Many of those present did not have a father to bring with them, and they were the sole support of the family, being in a sense in the dual capacity of both son and father. This made this occasion significant.

News letters were just sent out to the members calling attention to the fact that the membership is now 1783, the largest by far in the history of the city, surpassed only by Milwaukee in the state, and equalled probably not at all by any city of equal size in the country. It is an active and loyal membership also, speaking a good word on every occasion.

NECKLINES

Soft frills of chiffon or lace mark the necklines of many of the season's smartest frocks. Dark dresses of satin or crepe is almost sure to have them. In width they vary from an inch to wide shawl effects reaching to the waistline.

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EMILE COUE Appearing in his only motion picture "THE MESSAGE OF EMILE COUE"
SHOWING HOW HE CURES THOUSANDS

EMMET WILCOX DIES LONG A RESIDENT OF TREMPEALEAU

Burial of Early Settler Takes Place in Hokah Wednesday; Village News Notes

TREMPEALEAU, Wis. — Emmet Wilcox, a resident of Trempealeau for more than fifty years, died at his home here February 19. Mr. Wilcox had been in poor health for six months prior to his death, but not until about three weeks ago was he confined to his home. He lapsed into unconsciousness several days before the end came at seven o'clock Monday.

Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday morning conducted by the Rev. Mr. [illegible] of the M. E. church. The remains were taken to Hokah, Minn., for burial.

Mr. Wilcox was born in the southern part of Wisconsin in 18[illegible]. He came to Trempealeau with his parents when a boy. His father, Ephriam Wilcox, was one of the early settlers in this part of the country. The son, Emmet, succeeded his father and carried on an extensive [illegible] business founded in the earlier years. With the exception of a [illegible] years' residence in La Crosse, Trempealeau was his home the greater part of his life. He was married [illegible] years ago to Miss Martha [illegible], who survives him.

Mrs. Charlotte Nichols, one of the oldest [illegible] in southern Trempealeau county, was the guest of honor Saturday, February 17, at an "at home" given by her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Grover, in honor of her mother's ninetieth birthday. Mrs. Nichols is as active as a [illegible], her eyes are bright and her mind perfectly clear. She responded to greetings on her natal day with an enthusiasm of youth. The greater part of Mrs. Nichols' long life has been spent at Trempealeau. She came here with her parents in early days. She married [illegible] in 18[illegible].

[illegible] crowd attended at the home of [illegible] Thursday evening, [illegible] the [illegible] being Mr. [illegible] birthday. [illegible] and the [illegible] the [illegible] from Kansas City [illegible].

[illegible] Miller of La Crosse [illegible] Sunday at [illegible].

[illegible] Winter and [illegible].

[illegible] St. [illegible] medical treatment [illegible].

[illegible] spent Sunday [illegible].

[illegible] and [illegible] Will [illegible] and [illegible] guests of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] at dinner.

ROAD BULLETIN

Weekly road bulletin issued for the Automobile Club of Western Wisconsin:

No. 21 to West Salem and Sparta is in good passable condition.

County Trunk B or North West Salem road is open for travel.

No. 11 going to Holmen and Galesville is open for travel.

No. 14 going south to Coon Valley is in passable condition but beyond to Westby and Viroqua badly drifted. [illegible] and Genoa in passable condition.

No. 35 has been closed the past week but in a few days will be open for travel.

Minnesota's roads have been badly drifted but are passable in valleys. Ridges are impassable for autos. Drifts are 6 and 7 feet high. The Hokah and Caledonia road is passable except a few cuts where the snow is deep.

Road going north to Dresbach, Dakota, is in fair condition.

S. L. MUESTER, Sec. Auto Club.

FARMER IS CALLED

IRON RIVER, Wis.—Delbert Townsend, a farmer near Iron River, was severely scalded when a kettle of hot water upset over his head while he was butchering a hog.

GIRL'S ROBBER BAND MEMBER SENTENCED

CHICAGO, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Ray Green, member of a band of alleged robbers led by Elizabeth (Honey) Sullivan, an Evanston girl, on Friday pleaded guilty and was sentenced to Pontiac reformatory by Judge Caverly, for from three to twenty years. Other members of the band are to be tried next month.

ADMITS LIQUOR CHARGE

JEFFERSON, Wis.—Stanley Chudy, Milwaukee, pleaded guilty before Judge John C. Conway, to the charge of violating the Severson law, on Friday. He was expected to be sentenced to imprisonment at the county jail. He was charged with having sold moonshine at Sullivan.

EIGHT ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE ON RIVOLI PROGRAM

"Seven Flashes," "Gloom Chasers," Hughes Duo Among the Offerings

For Sunday, Monday and Tuesday the Rivoli will present eight Orpheum vaudeville acts. The Seven Flashes will be seen in a skit reminiscent of school days, with a "bang-up" surprise promised as a feature of the act.

Weston, Wagner and Knolls, styled "Gloom Chasers," present a comedy singing and talking and dancing act said to be a hit with all.

Equally expert on a variety of musical instruments, the Jack Hughes Duo will offer a surprising concert act. These players are accomplished with trumpets, banjos, violins, piano and saxophones. The fact that they are rated as virtuosi of all these instruments stamps them as artists of an exceptional sort.

Antonette and Monica present a classy musical entertainment. Bell and Le Clair depict two bowery characters in a song and talking skit entitled "The Tryout."

A remarkable athletic duo are the Pantzer Brothers. These two splendidly muscled men present "Artistic Athletic Achievements."

Band instrument imitations by the use of his voice and puckered lips will be the offering of Tom Brantford. It is said he correctly reproduces the sounds of all instruments. So accurate are his imitations that he is called the "Human Band." He also is an accomplished entertainer, and he includes a bit of Scotch in his repertoire.

Kremka Brothers, eccentric comedy acrobats are billed as vaudeville's most sensational balancing and tumbling act.

The Paramount feature picture "The Drums of Fate," with Mary Miles Minter completes the program.

STURGEON CATCHES SMALL

NEENAH, Wis. — Comparatively few sturgeon have been caught by ice fishermen here this winter. What few have been taken on the hook and line have been small.

EPIDEMIC OF SICKNESS CLOSES JUNEAU SCHOOLS

JUNEAU, Wis.—Juneau's public schools will close on Tuesday for two weeks as the result of sickness among teachers and students, Principal O. H. Bauer announced on Friday. About 50 per cent of the students at the high school and grades have been absent during the last week on account of the grip epidemic sweeping this part of the state.

To the American Public:

Despairing of being able to carry my message of self-help through autosuggestion to all those who waited for it here, I accepted the plan of my friends and gave it to the cinema which reaches millions throughout the entire country.

I found a sympathetic group of men who make moving pictures, and working with them, I have endeavored to place my message on the screen in such a manner as would be understood by everyone. Before the picture was made, I went over the scenario time and again and made sure that each point was brought out in the clearest possible way.

The completed picture carries my message in the most graphic manner possible and I am glad to endorse it and give it my approval as the best possible picturization of what I have taught for a score of years and will teach until the end. Any one seeing the picture will be able to understand, and I feel sure that hundreds of thousands will be helped to help themselves by seeing the lesson it tells.

I consider the picture a masterpiece and I have no hesitation in entrusting to it the task of carrying my message to the people of America and the world, knowing full well that it will instruct millions where I can only reach hundreds. The message of helpful autosuggestion must go on and I feel sure this picture will carry it to every home in this country. More then this, I feel sure that the message will be properly carried and will give the greatest possible help to all who see it.

E. Coue.

E. Coue personally appearing in his only Motion Picture, "The Message of Emile Coue," coming to the

RIVOLI NEXT WEDNESDAY

The LITTLE Theatre With the BIG Show

COOPER'S CASINO

Completely Renovated Throughout—Air Changed Every Three Minutes

TODAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

The Lad Who Makes the World Laugh—

HAROLD LLOYD

in His Latest and Greatest Comedy Sensation—

"DR. JACK"

Forget Pills, Powders and Plasters. Get Yourself a Permanent Wave of Laughter and Get a Massage of Merriment. Grouch Wrinkles Transformed into Smiles!

—and the Boys Who Make the World Listen

BEYERSTEDT BROTHERS

—and Their—

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Super-Master Musicians.

YOU'VE HEARD THEM! THEY'VE PROVED IT! YOU KNOW!

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TODAY—Matinee

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HE WAS A MOLLYCODDLE—until he was swept into a whirlwind of events which turned a "Mother's Boy" into a real man over night! He licked the town bully, won the town's prettiest girl, solved a deep——. See this sparkling story of youth and the great outdoors.

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Featuring

MAUDE, THE MULE

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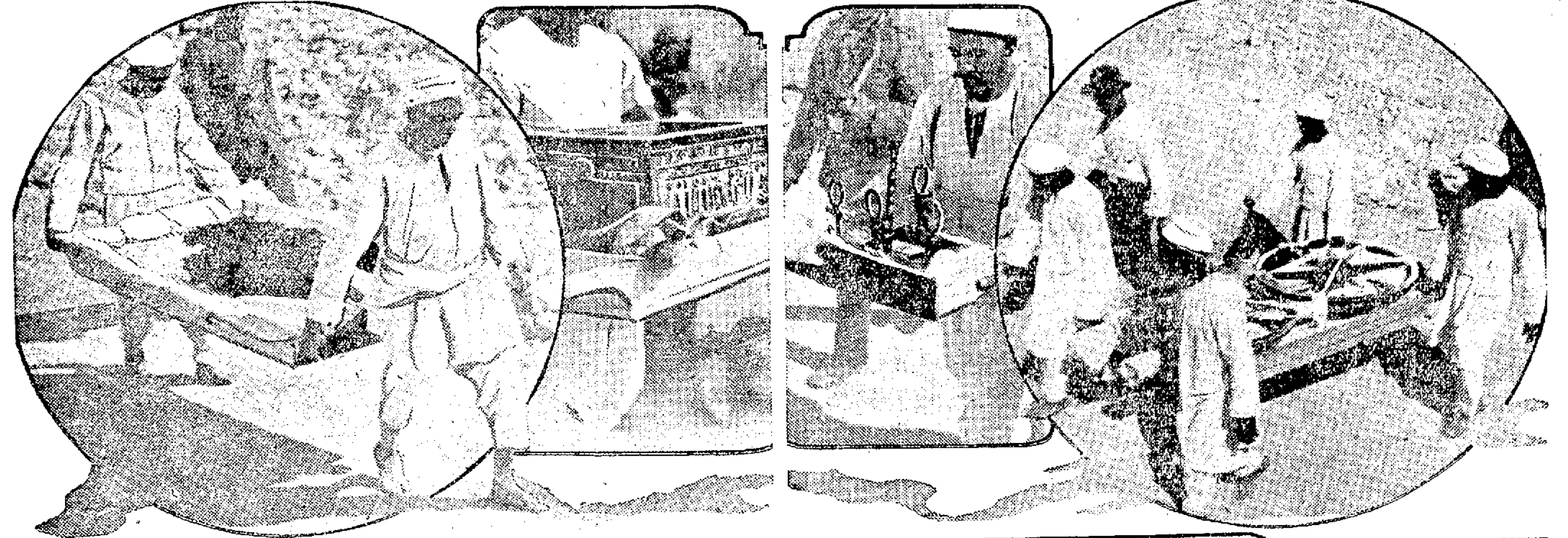
EMPTYING THE TOMB OF EGYPTIAN KING—GERALDINE ON THE STAND—GERMAN FASCISTI IN MUNICH

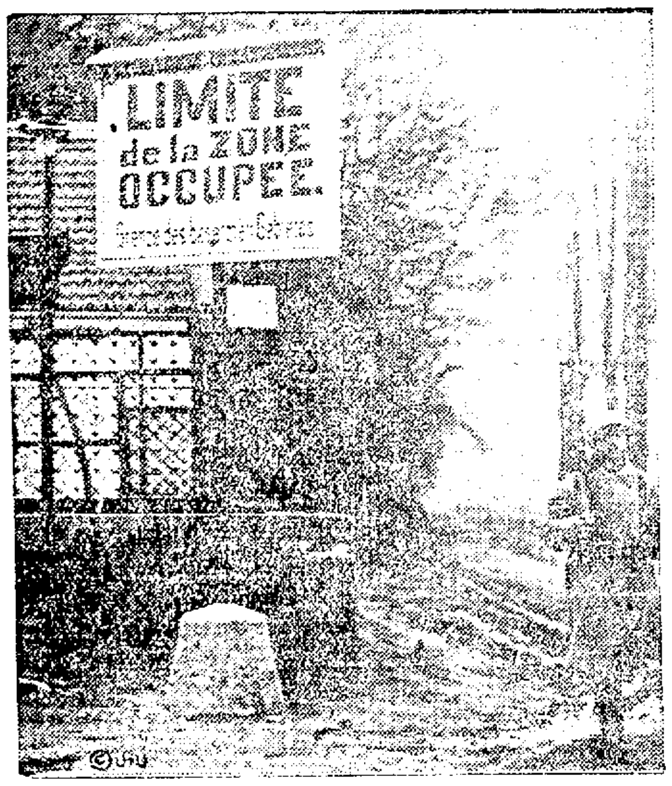


ELECTED — Mrs James F. Byrnes, wife of Representative Byrnes of South Carolina, has been elected president of the Congressional club in the capitol. She succeeds Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen of New Jersey.

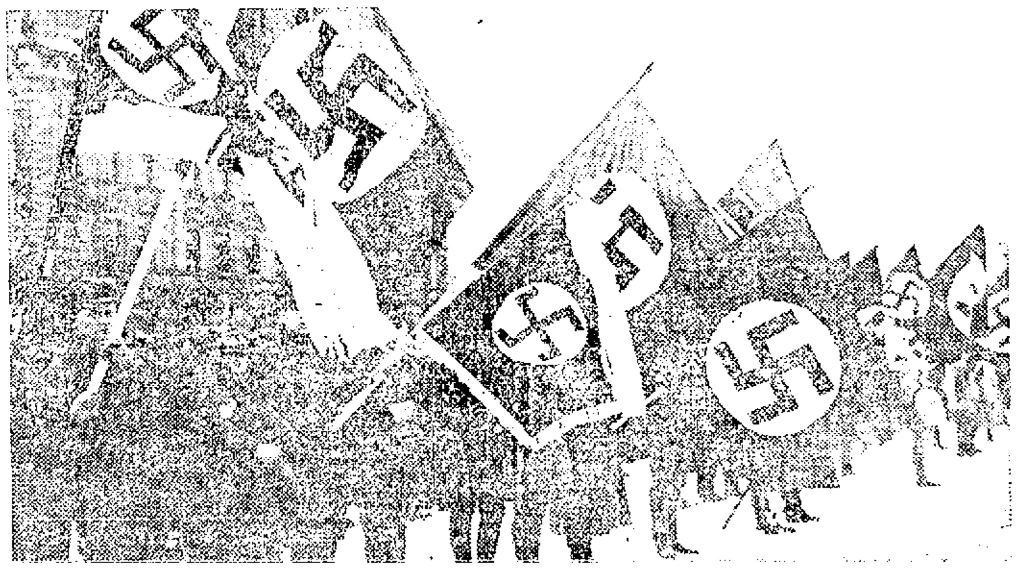
MARDI GRAS QUEEN — Miss Emily Hayne, Louisiana's most prominent debutante, ruled in old New Orleans when, in the most gorgeous parade since the war, she passed through a throng of nearly a half million people who celebrated the historic Mardi Gras.

TOMB OF TUT-ANKH-AMEN SURRENDERS ART TREASURES OF ANCIENT CIVILIZATION — At top, left to right—Natives removing a funeral bouquet from the tomb. The bouquet, of a dark brown color due to the preservative which protected it for 3500 years, was about three feet long. Despite every care some leaves fell into the tray. In top center is shown removal of two art treasures: on the left, a wooden box exquisitely carved and painted with red and gold, on the right, four candlesticks of curious design. Chariot wheels, tightly strapped to a litter to prevent breakage, are shown carried out by native workmen. The chariots were found in a tangled heap in one corner of the tomb and it was difficult to remove them without further damage. Below is shown the armed guard of native Egyptian troops protecting the invaluable treasures as they are being carried from the tomb. The European on the left of the litter bearers is Howard Carter, who has charge of the excavations. The white box contains valuable fabrics, probably Tut-Ankh-Amen's garments.

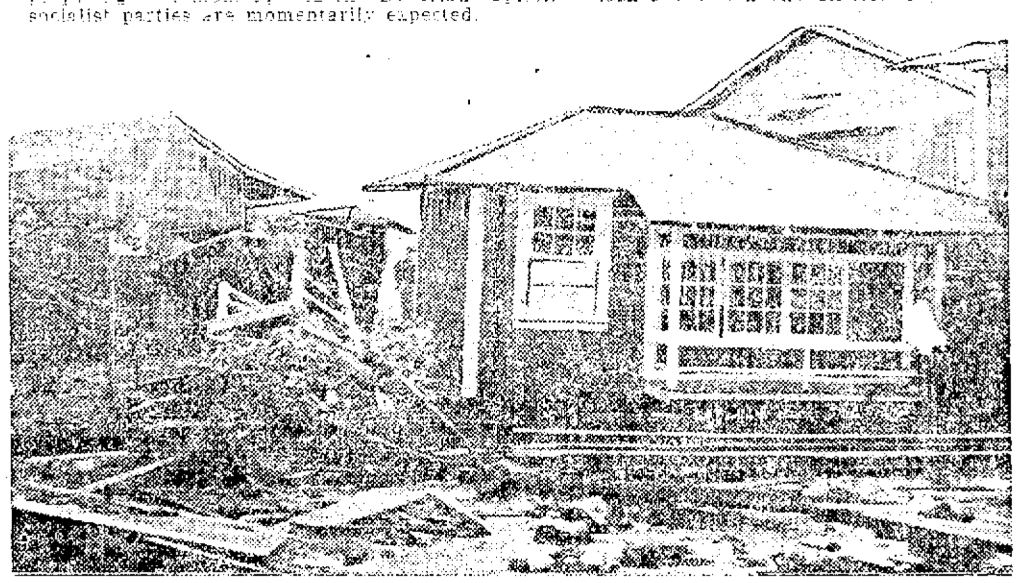
SOLD FOR $300? — According to the police, an East Side, New York, white slave gang abducted Helen Goldstein (above) and sold her to two men for $300.



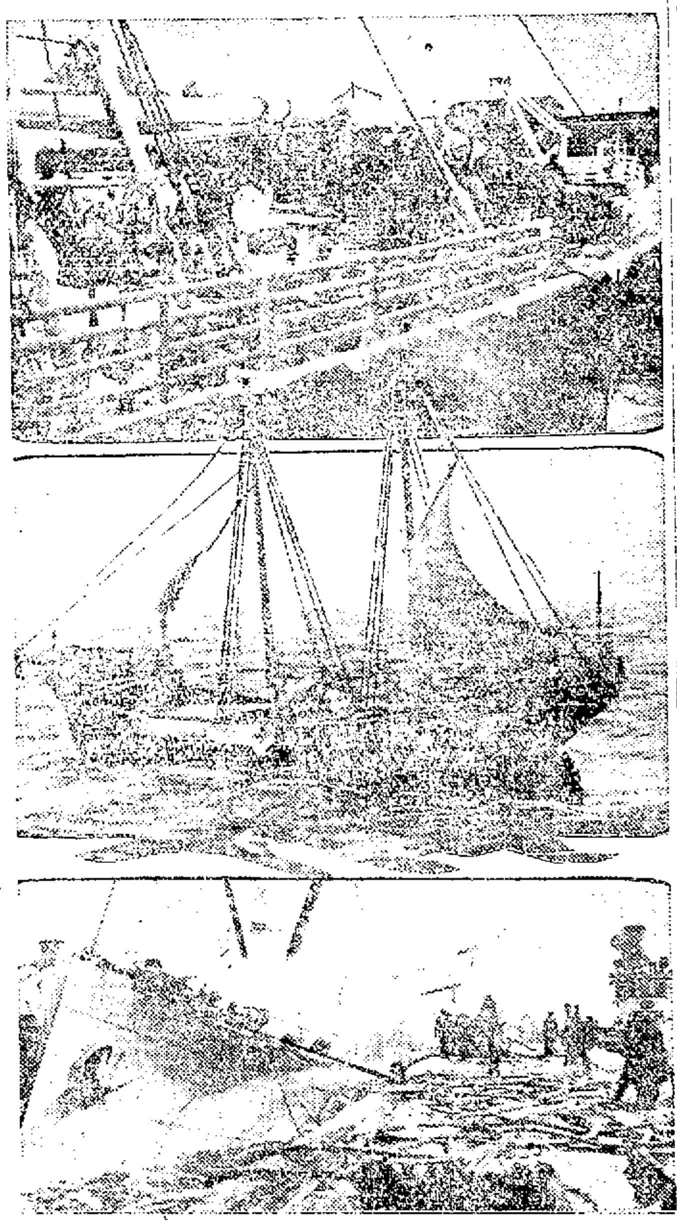
WHERE THE INVASION ENDS—Is this a permanent or temporary boundary of the French penetration into the Ruhr? Here is the end of the territory under French sway at the present time.



GERMAN FASCISTI CONSECRATE THEIR EMBLEMS—This photo, just arrived from Munich, the political storm center of Germany, shows the Hitlerites or Bavarian Fascisti, preparing to demonstrate in the Bavarian capitol. Clashes between the Hitlerites and socialist parties are momentarily expected.



TIDAL WAVE SWEEPS HAWAII—The tremendous strength of the tidal wave which spread destruction among Pacific islands is shown by this photo just received from Hawaii. Photo shows the remains of the Pacific Club of Hawaii after it had been washed 50 feet from its foundation by the great wave of water which swept up the Wailoa river from Hilo Bay.



OH, FOR A LIFE AT SEA!—Danger! Mystery! Thrill! It's all in the day's work for the men who ply the seas. Above: the ice-covered S. S. Mongolia slowly making her way into port after a stormy trip across the Atlantic. Center: "mystery ship" of the bootleg fleet partly dismasted after a storm off Sandy Hook. Its crew was saved from death by the timely passing of the liner "Vasar." Below: the S. S. Sagua, which caught fire at her pier in Hoboken, N. J., is shown tearing from her mooring and drifting down the North River.

BOMB HOME OF FREE STATE OFFICIAL— Here are shown the remains of the Dublin home of Solicitor Carrigan of the Free State after it had been bombed by rebels. A dressing gown which Solicitor Carrigan holds in his hand, was the only garment found intact.

GERALDINE FARRAR TELLS HER MARITAL TROUBLES—Geraldine Farrar, star of opera and screen, is shown here testifying before a referee in her divorce action against Lou Tellegen. On the right is her attorney, Alvin Untermyer. Stenographer at left.

THE FEMININE BLOC IN CONGRESS—This is the first picture taken of the three women members of congress. Left to right, Congresswomen Huck of Illinois, Nolan of California and Robertson of Oklahoma. Mrs. Huck and Mrs. Nolan were elected to fill the unexpired terms of their husbands who died while in office.

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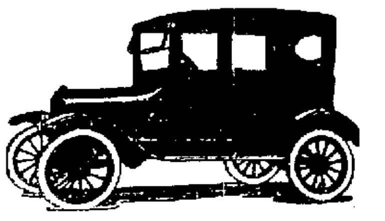

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TELEPHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS when it is more convenient to you and as this is an accommodation service the Tribune and Leader-Press expects payment promptly on receipt of bill.

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FRATERNAL NOTICES

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Regular meeting La Crosse Council No. 839 Monday evening, February 26th, 8 P. M.

Bring in your applications for next class.

JOHN E. FLANAGAN, Grand Knight.

I.O.O.F.

The 19th District I. O. O. F. and the 7th District Rebekahs will hold a convention at the Odd Fellows' Hall Tuesday afternoon, February 27, 1923, starting at 2 o'clock. A banquet will be held from 5:30 to 7:00 P. M. on the second floor. An evening program consisting of speaking, music and singing will be held on the third floor. After 9 o'clock dancing. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are invited to be present.

C. J. STOKKE, Secy.

ATTENTION

ALL MEMBERS OF

North La Crosse Lodge

No. 190

are requested to meet at our Temple Monday, 1 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, T. A. McMullen.

By order of C. E. WHITE, W. M.

WANTED—MALE HELP

[illegible]

MEN WANTED 17 to 45 [illegible]

THE RAHE AUTO & TRACTOR SCHOOL, Dept. 17, [illegible] Chicago, Ill.

CLERKS, Railway Mail [illegible]

[illegible]

TYPEWRITERS

GENUINE STANDARD TYPEWRITERS, Underwoods $5 down and $5 per month. 10 days' trial FREE. 5-year back guarantee. Factory rebuilt. All typewriters sold or rented. Typewriters Rented and Repaired. C. A. KREBAUM. 1 27 6 28

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WOMAN—Well educated; free to leave home, for attractive position with large Chicago organization paying $200.00 monthly to one qualified; experience unnecessary; initiative and desire to succeed very important. P. O. Box 870, Chicago. 2 25 25

WANTED—Women to do fancy work at home. Spare hours. Material furnished. Good pay. Stamped envelope brings particulars. Underwood Art Goods Company, Portsmouth, Ohio. 2 25 25

WANTED—Women to do fancy work at home. Good pay. Materials furnished. Self-addressed stamped envelope brings particulars. Florence Art Goods Co., Cambridge, Ohio. 2 25 25

WANTED—Ambitious girls to take business or music course. Work way doing housework. Will give room, board and small salary. Paterson Institute, LaGrange, Ill. 2 25 25

LADY TO TAKE CARE of baby in small family. Modern house. Position permanent. Lots of time for yourself. Phone or write H. Y. Buchanan, Viroqua, Wis. 2 22 25

AT ONCE—Capable women to demonstrate and sell dealers; $25 to $50 per week, part traveling expenses paid. Write Goodrich Drug Co., Dept. 401-F, Omaha, Nebr. 2 4 Sun 3 25

GIRLS-WOMEN, 18 up. Get U. S. Government Jobs. $1,140-$1,600 year. Sample coaching lessons free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 725-T, Rochester, N. Y. 2 4 Sun 2 25

GIRLS WANTED—Light steady work in stitching department. Apply at north side factory. La Crosse Garment Co., 919 Caledonia. 2 20 tf

WANTED 25 GIRLS

between ages of 18 and 25 years, for light assembly work.

Apply at once.

NATIONAL GAUGE AND EQUIPMENT CO.

WANTED—25 women to size tobacco. Experience not necessary. General Tobacco Warehouse, Front and [illegible] King. 2 25 25

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. [illegible]

COMPETENT maid wanted. [illegible] 241 So. 17th St. 2 25 27

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. [illegible]

WANTED—Cook and dining room girl. [illegible] Onalaska Ave. or phone [illegible] 2 26 25

WANTED—Girl for second work. Mrs. [illegible] 2 20 26

WANTED—Cook and dishwasher. American House. [illegible] 2 25 tf

GIRL WANTED at Modern Steam Laundry. [illegible] 2 21 25

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—8-room modern house [illegible]

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT [illegible] Onalaska [illegible]

FOR SALE—Seven-room modern house, 1922 Mississippi street. [illegible]

WANT TO BUY a house [illegible]

FOR SALE—Strictly modern 7-room house. $7,500. Address 422, Tribune. [illegible]

FOR SALE—A bargain. Duplex [illegible]

FOR SALE—Six-room modern house. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Two houses [illegible] Mississippi street [illegible] 2 25 25

FOR SALE—FARMS

[illegible]

Help Wanted—Male and Female

[illegible]

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—[illegible] Reward. 2 25 25

LOST—Gold diamond shape [illegible] Reward. 2 25 25

LOST—Five keys on key ring. Return to [illegible] Reward. 2 23 25

LOST—A large size beagle hound. [illegible]

LOST—Car license 116825. [illegible]

LOST—Automobile crank. [illegible]

LOST—Tire chain. [illegible]

WANT TO BUY

WANT TO HEAR from owner having farm for sale; give particulars and lowest price. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 2 18 Sun 3 4

WANTED to buy, from owner of farm. [illegible] Des Moines, Iowa. 2 25 25

WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1550-R. 2 17 1mo

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN—The Purity Cake Co. of Chicago want a real salesman to handle their line of cakes and cookies in this territory. This is a real opportunity for the right man to work up a clean and profitable business for himself. Must have delivery car with panel body. Only a high grade man of good character and ability wanted. If you think you are the right man, the quickest way to get together is to come and see us. Purity Cake Co., Lincoln and Walnut Sts., Chicago. 2 25 25

SALESMAN—Nation famous line harvest and children's braid hats. Small sample case, light weight. High commissions paid weekly. Side line for present. Offer permanent arrangements with men who qualify. State references in first letter. Panama Traders, 9 University Place, New York. 2 25 25

REPUTABLE salesmen able to furnish bond and references wanted to take over state rights. Must be experienced in calling on doctors, pharmacies and hospitals. Good income assured and steady work with prominent house. Write Chicago Capsule Co., 208 N. Wells, Chicago. 2 25 25

SALESMEN—What of 1923? As a division salesmanager each four men you break in selling roofing cement, paint, auto truck and tractor oil, nets you over $100,000 per week. Choice of territory. The American Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 2 25 25

TWO ACTIVE educated men, capable of earning over $4,000.00 yearly, to represent an old established publishing firm in calling on schools, libraries and selected individuals. Permanent position. Dodd, Mead & Co., 56 W. Randolph, Chicago. 2 25 25

WANTED

Experienced candy salesman in La Crosse and adjacent territory, liberal commission, will furnish car. Address K. K., Tribune.

SALESMEN to sell paints, roof cements; experience preferred; exclusive territory; liberal commission with drawing account; opportunity for advancement. Republic Paint & Varnish Works, 14th and Kolmar Ave., Chicago. 2 25 25

MANUFACTURER high grade automobile storage battery increasing output, desires to get in touch with live selling organization. Exclusive sale to right organization. Mentil Storage Battery Co., Plano, Illinois. 2 25 25

IF YOU HAVE $200.00 will start you in new business; no competition; should net $100 salary weekly, experience unnecessary. International Machine Co., Baltimore, Md. 2 25 25

SEVERAL salesmen wanted to work under crew manager. See me at the Lantor Electric Co. Tuesday afternoon. W. E. Ambrose. 2 25 26

SALESMEN Exceptional opportunity, hustlers earnings big. Write McCleery Calendar Factory, Washington, Iowa. 2 4 Sun

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS AND SALESMEN—Something different. $30.00 suits sell for $23.50. Union made. No extra charges. Good commission. Old well-known line. Established reputation. Complete equipment furnished. Commissions paid daily. No experience necessary. Good men make $100.00 weekly. Stars make more. Territory going fast. Write Elliott Bradley, Inc., 3023 West Van Buren, Dept. 270, Chicago. 2 25 25

AGENTS—Connect up with us. Reliable manufacturer, honest goods, 15 years' experience. Quick selling and profitable household articles. Write today for money-making plan. American Products Co., 5226 American Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 2 25 25

WE HAVE CITY territories open for live hustlers. [illegible]

CANDYMAKING Business. [illegible]

GOODYEAR MFG. CO. [illegible]

WEEKLY taking orders for [illegible]

LIGHTNING Electrolyte [illegible]

AGENTS—Women [illegible]

AGENTS—[illegible]

NEW INVENTION [illegible]

FOR SALE

HEMSTITCHING and Picoting attachment [illegible]

[illegible]

FOR SALE—Kimball player piano. [illegible]

SMALL dry oak cord wood. Good for kitchen stove. Also good hay. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Dining room and other household furniture. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Piano, furniture and [illegible] 1215 King St. [illegible]

COMBINATION coal and gas range. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Pocahontas lump coal. [illegible]

FRESH Guernsey cow and calf for sale. [illegible]

AUTO KNITTER for sale. [illegible]

KITCHEN cabinet used three months. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Chicken coop. [illegible]

BALED or loose hay for sale. [illegible]

GREEN WOOD and block wood. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Piano, slightly used. [illegible]

Situation Wanted—Female

YOUNG WOMAN of twenty, two years university training, one year school teaching and clerical experience, desires position. [illegible] last of April. Phone 2335-R. 2 25 25

RELIABLE woman wants day work, [illegible]

WANTED—Position as housekeeper. Will work for room and board. Address S. [illegible], Tribune. 2 25 25

WANTED—Washing, ironing or cleaning. 1870-A. 2 24 26

AUTOMOBILES

BUY YOUR CAR NOW. We will sell the following used cars worth the money: One 4 pass. Dort, one Willis Knight coupe, one Oldsmobile 8 cyl. 4 pass., one Oldsmobile 8 cyl. 5 pass., one Oldsmobile 8 cyl. 7 pass., one Studebaker 6 cyl. 3 pass., one 1,000 lb. Chevrolet truck. Has been run only 6,000 miles. Our prices are right for quick sale. Hazen and Robbins, 118 South 5th St. Oldsmobile Agency. 2 25 25

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1921, starter, new battery, cord tires, Haesler shock absorbers, 18 in. steering wheel, side curtains open with doors, speedometer, electric claxon cutout. $200 if taken at once. Call 2087-M. 2 24 25

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Also it is a fact that in the Spring of the year the prices on real estate go up in price and that during the Winter months the price is the lowest.

It pays you to do your buying in the winter so as to get the benefit of the low prices, get the pick of the good buys and the location you want.

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WEST SALEM, Wis.—The Study club will meet on Monday, Feb. 26, at the home of Mrs. A. Jostad. The lesson will be found in Chapter XXI in the study book. Leader of meeting Mrs. Cole. Special topics, Mrs. Mary Wilcox and Mrs. Caroline, Griswold.

...s. Harvey Gullickson and Mrs. Ed ...ney entertained the S. O. B. club ...the home of the former last Satur... afternoon.

...urteen friends and neighbors sur... Mrs. Oscar Stetzer on Monday ...noon, the occasion being in honor ...er birthday. A picnic supper was ...ed. They presented Mrs. Stetzer with pyrex dishes.

Mrs. George Sprain entertained the Novelty club last Saturday afternoon.

Ten ladies took a picnic supper and surprised Mrs. Wm. Klass on Tuesday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. John Cullmann and Mrs. Arthur A. Herman entertained forty ladies at "500" at the Cullmann home last Thursday and Friday afternoons.

The Eastern Star had a six-thirty banquet last Thursday after which Mr. and Mrs. J. Capper were initiated into the order. Mrs. Grimshaw, lecturer, was present.

Mrs. W. Bielefeldt, who has been visiting relatives in West Salem the past three months, returned to her home in Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday.

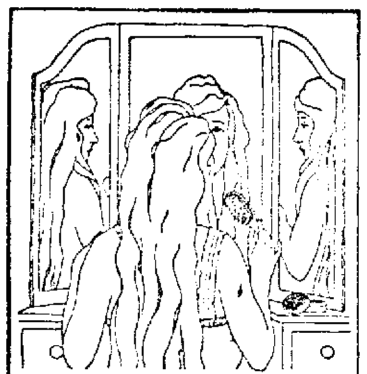
The Ladies' Aid served a 35 cent supper at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday, February 21st.

Mrs. S. W. Brown entertained a few friends at a one o'clock dinner Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Drecktrah, Mrs. Charles Coburn and Mrs. Otto Cullmann entertained a company of friends at a six o'clock dinner on Thursday at the Cullmann home. These same ladies also entertained friends Friday and Saturday evenings.

ALLEN BANK'S AFFAIRS TURNED OVER TO STATE

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—The State Bank of Allen, near here, was closed on Friday and placed in the hands of Marshall Cousins, state commissioner of banking. Bad loans made during the war and the boom period immediately afterwards, followed by the business slump and tight money catching it unprepared, are given as causes for the decision to liquidate.



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SUNDAY

Teaching in the Home

"Go to thy house unto thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee." Mark 5:19.

Read Mark 5:1-20.

"We cannot afford to forget that our religion was cradled in the home."

Meditation: It is both important and difficult to speak of our Christian faith in our own homes. Our words are strengthened or weakened by the lives we live. Can I make my life harmonize with my profession of faith?

Hymn:

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
Forgive our feverish ways;
Reclothe us in our rightful mind,
In purer lives thy service find,
In deeper reverence, praise.

Prayer: O thou God of truth, in this time of confusion, help us to know thy will that we may follow thee. May we not be bound by the traditions of men, but rather seek to know thy truth as thou dost reveal it to us day by day. Give us an open mind to the influence of thy Spirit and to the testimony of those whom thy Spirit has touched. Strengthen us to be loyal to the truth whatever the cost, and teach us ways wherein we may share with others that which thou dost reveal unto us; through Jesus Christ. Amen.

PERSONAL MENTION AND NEWS NOTES OF ONALASKA FOLKS

F. G. Kriesel has taken the milk route which was formerly run by M. S. Hiles in Onalaska.

Mrs. Edgar Haugman of Adams arrived last week for an indefinate stay with her people in Onalaska.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Severson last week.

Mrs. Lute Rand has been on the sick list the past week.

Wm. Boyer has been confined to his home for several days.

Mr. Theodore Skogan has purchased the George Pierce home in Green's Coulee the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Aiken and family spent Sunday in La Crosse with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Aiken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nicholson are both ill with the grip this week.

Mrs. Pollack and daughter, Margaret, returned to Pennsylvania a couple of weeks ago where they were called by the illness of Mr. Pollack. Later reports are to the effect that he is still very poorly.

Mrs. Lillian Goff of Tomah arrived Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Rodde.

Roy Clark is making extensive improvements at his home which he recently purchased.

Mrs. George Brice is still confined to her home with muscular rheumatism.

Mrs. Henry Allen entertained this week for Mr. Allen's father in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Irwin Childs spent a few days the past week with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Childs are planning on locating in North La Crosse in the spring where Mrs. Childs will practice in her line of business.

Miss Elsie Morrow was called home Thursday by the death of her brother.

Henry Ellis left Sunday for Bemidji where he will spend some time with his brother.

A. E. Smith is at his office again after being confined at his home a few days.

Charles Pierce is hauling tile for the basement of a fine new barn which he will build at his home in Green's Coulee.

David Soule had the misfortune to fall and cut his hand quite badly on a broken milk bottle necessitating the care of a physician for dressing it.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will have a white sale which will be given around Easter time, the date to be announced later.

The public schools closed here Thursday in memory of Washington's birthday.

Macadamizing, a well-known system of road building, was devised by John Louden Macadam, of Scotland.

NEW WARD AT JUNEAU

JUNEAU, Wis.—The Third ward of this city will become more than a misnomer if an ordinance introduced by Ald. John Hummel is approved by the council. Under the ordinance the street immediately west of the Northwestern road track will become the dividing line.

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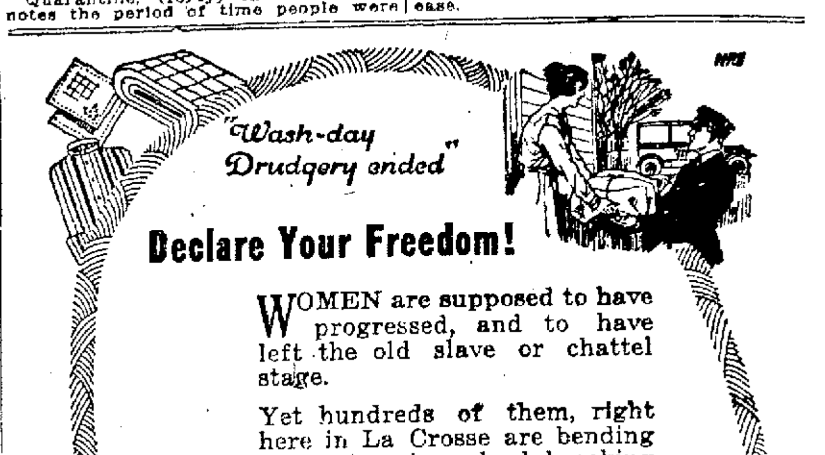

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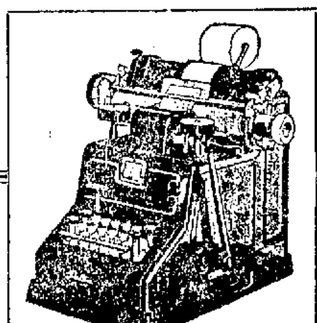

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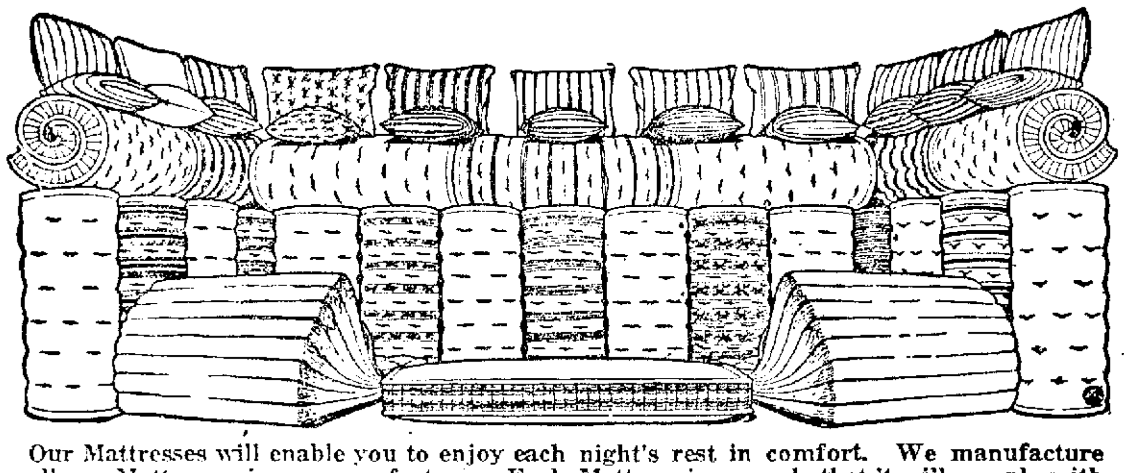

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